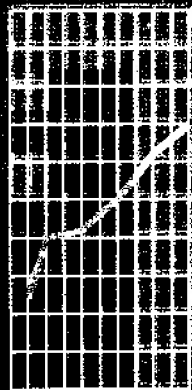




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| 9 | <i>Building Approvals, New South Wales, February 1996 (8731.1)</i> | \$14.50 |
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| 17 | <i>Dwelling Unit Commencements Reported by Approving Authorities, New South Wales, September to October 1995 (3210.1)</i> | \$14.00 |
| 30 | <i>Monthly Summary of Statistics, New South Wales, April 1996 (1305.1)</i> | \$16.50 |
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SYMBOLS AND OTHER USAGES

NOTE: Monthly Summary of Statistics preliminary figures are not indicated by the symbol 'p'. All revisions, however, will be indicated by the symbol 'r'.

1 Standard notations are used throughout this publication, with meanings as follows:

| | |
|--------|---|
| kWh | kilowatt hour |
| L | litre |
| MJ | megajoule |
| n.a. | not available |
| n.e.c. | not elsewhere classified |
| n.e.s. | not elsewhere specified |
| n.p. | not available for publication but included in totals where applicable |
| n.y.a. | not yet available |
| r | figure or series revised since previous issue |
| * | subject to sampling variability too high for most practical purposes. |
| .. | not applicable |
| — | nil or rounded to zero (including null cells) |
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2 Where figures have been rounded, discrepancies may occur between sums of the component items and the totals shown.

SEASONALLY ADJUSTED INDICATORS

3 In most instances, the aim in compiling monthly or quarterly economic time series is to provide evidence of movement, in order to indicate the effects changing conditions are having on the activities being measured — and, in so doing, to signal what might be likely to occur in the near future. Seasonal adjustment is a technique designed to assist in these processes of analysis and interpretation by removing the estimated effects of normal seasonal variation from statistical series, so that the effects of other influences on the series may be more clearly recognised.

4 Details of the methods used in deriving the seasonally adjusted figures shown in this publication are given in the publication *Seasonally Adjusted Indicators* (1308.0), last issued in 1983 by the Central Office of the ABS.

5 Seasonally adjusted statistics are revised following revision to the original data and as additional data are brought into the analysis each year.

6 For series where one of the components and the total of the components have been seasonally adjusted (e.g. private dwellings and total dwellings), any figures derived by deduction (in the example quoted — government dwellings) do not amount to a formally seasonally adjusted series for the balance of the components.

TABLE 1. ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION, NSW
(^{'000 persons})

| Period | Estimated resident population at end of period | | | Increase during period | | | Mean estimated resident population for year ended | |
|---------------|---|---------|---------|-------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|--|---------|
| | Males | Females | Persons | Natural increase (a) | Net estimated migration | Total increase | 30 June | 31 Dec. |
| 1992 | 2,974.0 | 3,005.5 | 5,979.5 | 44.9 | 5.8 | 50.7 | 5,931.0 | 5,958.5 |
| 1993 | 2,994.1 | 3,029.6 | 6,023.7 | 44.7 | -0.5 | 44.2 | 5,981.0 | 6,001.5 |
| 1994 | 3,020.8 | 3,057.3 | 6,078.2 | 42.4 | 12.1 | 54.5 | 6,025.7 | 6,052.3 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | | |
| March qtr | 3,002.7 | 3,038.4 | 6,041.0 | 12.0 | 5.4 | 17.3 | .. | .. |
| June qtr | 3,006.6 | 3,042.6 | 6,049.2 | 10.0 | -1.8 | 8.2 | .. | .. |
| September qtr | 3,015.0 | 3,050.8 | 6,065.8 | 8.7 | 7.8 | 16.5 | .. | .. |
| December qtr | 3,020.8 | 3,057.3 | 6,078.2 | 11.7 | 0.7 | 12.4 | .. | .. |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | |
| March qtr | 3,030.3 | 3,067.3 | 6,097.6 | 11.7 | 7.8 | 19.5 | .. | .. |
| June qtr | 3,038.7 | 3,076.4 | 6,115.1 | 11.6 | 5.9 | 17.5 | .. | .. |

(a) Excess of live births over deaths.

TABLE 2. BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES AND DIVORCES (a), NSW

| Period | Live births (b) | Total deaths (b) | Infant deaths (b)(c) | Marriages | Divorces |
|---------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|-----------|----------|
| | —number— | | | | |
| 1992 | 89,714 | 43,863 | 633 | 39,524 | 13,949 |
| 1993 | 87,649 | 42,402 | 542 | 38,683 | 14,753 |
| 1994 | 87,169 | 45,004 | 553 | 38,722 | 13,999 |
| 1994— | | | | | |
| June qtr | 21,338 | 11,234 | 142 | 8,603 | 3,179 |
| September qtr | 22,408 | 13,207 | 144 | 7,596 | 3,757 |
| December qtr | 21,328 | 10,552 | 131 | 11,976 | 3,775 |
| 1995— | | | | | |
| March qtr | 21,293 | 9,740 | 118 | 10,051 | 3,318 |
| June qtr | 21,145 | 11,134 | 109 | 8,515 | 3,297 |
| September qtr | 21,314 | 12,753 | 144 | 8,126 | 3,659 |
| | —rate (d)— | | | | |
| 1992 | 15.1 | 7.4 | 7.1 | 6.6 | 2.3 |
| 1993 | 14.6 | 7.1 | 6.2 | 6.5 | 2.5 |
| 1994 | 14.4 | 7.4 | 6.3 | 6.4 | 2.3 |

(a) Statistics in this table relate to vital events which occurred in each quarter and year shown, and are registered up to the release of this publication. Because of late registrations, they are likely to be revised, particularly the most recent periods. (b) Births and deaths statistics relate to events which occurred in Australia where the usual residence was within NSW. (c) Deaths under one year of age. (d) Number per 1,000 of estimated resident population at 30 June, or number of infant deaths per 1,000 live births.

TABLE 3. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER, NSW

| Month | Employed | | Unemployed | | Labour force ('000) | Not in labour force ('000) | Civilian population aged 15 and over ('000) | Unemployment rate (a) (per cent) | Participation rate (b) (per cent) |
|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|----------------------------|---|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | Full-time workers ('000) | Total ('000) | Looking for full-time work ('000) | Total ('000) | | | | | |
| MALES | | | | | | | | | |
| March— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 1,369.9 | 1,513.5 | 158.5 | 171.9 | 1,685.4 | 596.4 | 2,281.8 | 10.2 | 73.9 |
| 1993 | 1,322.0 | 1,462.2 | 180.4 | 197.5 | 1,659.7 | 642.5 | 2,302.2 | 11.9 | 72.1 |
| 1994 | 1,340.8 | 1,500.9 | 170.7 | 188.6 | 1,689.4 | 633.4 | 2,322.9 | 11.2 | 72.7 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 1,384.8 | 1,544.0 | 147.4 | 166.2 | 1,710.2 | 633.6 | 2,343.8 | 9.7 | 73.0 |
| February | 1,408.7 | 1,564.4 | 137.8 | 157.6 | 1,722.0 | 624.5 | 2,346.5 | 9.2 | 73.4 |
| March | 1,400.0 | 1,560.8 | 127.9 | 146.9 | 1,707.7 | 641.5 | 2,349.3 | 8.6 | 72.7 |
| April | 1,401.2 | 1,575.0 | 122.2 | 133.9 | 1,708.9 | 643.0 | 2,351.9 | 7.8 | 72.7 |
| May | 1,405.7 | 1,573.6 | 123.2 | 137.4 | 1,711.0 | 643.6 | 2,354.6 | 8.0 | 72.7 |
| June | 1,411.4 | 1,575.4 | 122.1 | 134.2 | 1,709.6 | 647.6 | 2,357.2 | 7.8 | 72.5 |
| July | 1,430.7 | 1,582.0 | 117.3 | 131.0 | 1,713.0 | 646.4 | 2,359.4 | 7.6 | 72.6 |
| August | 1,403.0 | 1,570.8 | 122.3 | 134.5 | 1,705.2 | 656.3 | 2,361.6 | 7.9 | 72.2 |
| September | 1,421.5 | 1,595.4 | 126.3 | 145.4 | 1,740.7 | 623.0 | 2,363.7 | 8.4 | 73.6 |
| October | 1,405.6 | 1,580.3 | 119.5 | 134.5 | 1,714.8 | 651.4 | 2,366.2 | 7.8 | 72.5 |
| November | 1,408.5 | 1,591.4 | 121.2 | 134.5 | 1,725.9 | 642.7 | 2,368.7 | 7.8 | 72.9 |
| December | 1,440.0 | 1,607.7 | 120.9 | 136.3 | 1,744.0 | 627.2 | 2,371.1 | 7.8 | 73.6 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 1,431.1 | 1,574.0 | 137.0 | 157.9 | 1,731.8 | 642.3 | 2,374.1 | 9.1 | 72.9 |
| February | 1,421.5 | 1,588.4 | 133.6 | 150.5 | 1,739.0 | 638.1 | 2,377.1 | 8.7 | 73.2 |
| March | 1,401.5 | 1,582.8 | 130.3 | 150.9 | 1,733.7 | 646.3 | 2,380.0 | 8.7 | 72.8 |
| MARRIED FEMALES | | | | | | | | | |
| March— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 364.6 | 660.1 | 32.1 | 50.8 | 710.9 | 639.5 | 1,350.4 | 7.1 | 52.6 |
| 1993 | 364.1 | 646.9 | 38.2 | 55.6 | 702.5 | 645.3 | 1,347.7 | 7.9 | 52.1 |
| 1994 | 397.2 | 687.5 | 32.5 | 45.3 | 732.8 | 653.3 | 1,386.1 | 6.2 | 52.9 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 379.7 | 663.0 | 24.3 | 37.5 | 700.5 | 692.2 | 1,392.7 | 5.3 | 50.3 |
| February | 383.3 | 681.7 | 30.3 | 50.5 | 732.1 | 662.6 | 1,394.7 | 6.9 | 52.5 |
| March | 384.0 | 700.6 | 26.1 | 43.6 | 744.1 | 656.6 | 1,400.7 | 5.9 | 53.1 |
| April | 398.8 | 707.4 | 20.1 | 35.2 | 742.6 | 659.8 | 1,402.4 | 4.7 | 52.9 |
| May | 397.5 | 713.4 | 19.4 | 32.7 | 746.1 | 665.9 | 1,412.0 | 4.4 | 52.8 |
| June | 406.0 | 738.7 | 23.9 | 35.1 | 773.7 | 646.6 | 1,420.3 | 4.5 | 54.5 |
| July | 410.8 | 733.4 | 21.0 | 29.7 | 763.1 | 645.2 | 1,408.3 | 3.9 | 54.2 |
| August | 410.1 | 721.6 | 25.3 | 37.1 | 758.7 | 641.0 | 1,399.7 | 4.9 | 54.2 |
| September | 417.1 | 727.0 | 24.3 | 35.7 | 762.7 | 637.3 | 1,400.0 | 4.7 | 54.5 |
| October | 420.4 | 732.4 | 22.6 | 33.0 | 765.4 | 638.4 | 1,403.7 | 4.3 | 54.5 |
| November | 420.5 | 734.3 | 26.8 | 42.8 | 777.1 | 628.8 | 1,405.9 | 5.5 | 55.3 |
| December | 416.4 | 724.4 | 23.1 | 31.8 | 756.2 | 642.8 | 1,399.0 | 4.2 | 54.1 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 397.9 | 683.7 | 22.8 | 34.1 | 717.7 | 683.7 | 1,401.4 | 4.7 | 51.2 |
| February | 399.6 | 704.1 | 31.8 | 44.6 | 748.7 | 664.8 | 1,413.5 | 6.0 | 53.0 |
| March | 411.5 | 723.0 | 31.3 | 47.7 | 770.7 | 643.1 | 1,413.8 | 6.2 | 54.5 |

For footnotes see end of table.

NOTE: The tables on pages 2 to 5 contain estimates derived from the Monthly Population Survey which is conducted on a sample basis throughout Australia. Explanatory notes and a technical note about the estimates and further detailed estimates (including industry and occupation details) are contained in *The Labour Force, New South Wales* (6201.1) which is issued quarterly and is available from the Sydney Office of the ABS.

TABLE 3. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER, NSW —continued

| Month | Employed | | Unemployed | | Labour force ('000) | Not in labour force ('000) | Civilian population aged 15 and over ('000) | Unemployment rate (a) (per cent) | Participation rate (b) (per cent) |
|-------------|--------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|----------------------------|---|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | Full-time workers ('000) | Total ('000) | Looking for full-time work ('000) | Total ('000) | | | | | |
| ALL FEMALES | | | | | | | | | |
| March— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 677.4 | 1,099.5 | 79.8 | 116.7 | 1,216.1 | 1,145.1 | 2,361.2 | 9.6 | 51.5 |
| 1993 | 658.7 | 1,072.8 | 93.8 | 132.3 | 1,205.1 | 1,178.2 | 2,383.3 | 11.0 | 50.6 |
| 1994 | 691.6 | 1,132.1 | 88.5 | 121.6 | 1,253.7 | 1,152.7 | 2,406.4 | 9.7 | 52.1 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 692.7 | 1,126.2 | 74.8 | 108.1 | 1,234.3 | 1,194.3 | 2,428.6 | 8.8 | 50.8 |
| February | 690.3 | 1,135.4 | 89.3 | 132.0 | 1,267.4 | 1,163.4 | 2,430.9 | 10.4 | 52.1 |
| March | 679.3 | 1,152.2 | 70.5 | 111.8 | 1,264.0 | 1,169.1 | 2,433.1 | 8.8 | 51.9 |
| April | 699.4 | 1,168.1 | 58.0 | 92.0 | 1,260.0 | 1,175.5 | 2,435.5 | 7.3 | 51.7 |
| May | 698.6 | 1,172.9 | 58.0 | 89.2 | 1,262.1 | 1,175.7 | 2,437.8 | 7.1 | 51.8 |
| June | 706.8 | 1,193.5 | 58.9 | 84.8 | 1,278.3 | 1,161.9 | 2,440.2 | 6.6 | 52.4 |
| July | 714.0 | 1,188.4 | 59.1 | 80.2 | 1,268.6 | 1,173.9 | 2,442.5 | 6.3 | 51.9 |
| August | 708.8 | 1,180.7 | 59.8 | 92.2 | 1,272.9 | 1,171.8 | 2,444.7 | 7.2 | 52.1 |
| September | 738.8 | 1,215.6 | 58.4 | 84.9 | 1,300.5 | 1,146.5 | 2,447.0 | 6.5 | 53.1 |
| October | 732.4 | 1,212.6 | 58.9 | 87.5 | 1,300.1 | 1,149.3 | 2,449.4 | 6.7 | 53.1 |
| November | 735.0 | 1,220.3 | 65.0 | 94.0 | 1,314.3 | 1,137.6 | 2,451.9 | 7.2 | 53.6 |
| December | 744.6 | 1,224.3 | 65.3 | 89.2 | 1,313.5 | 1,140.9 | 2,454.4 | 6.8 | 53.5 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 730.8 | 1,173.0 | 69.7 | 96.8 | 1,269.8 | 1,187.8 | 2,457.5 | 7.6 | 51.7 |
| February | 717.9 | 1,183.2 | 77.2 | 109.8 | 1,293.0 | 1,167.7 | 2,460.7 | 8.5 | 52.5 |
| March | 735.3 | 1,213.7 | 69.8 | 105.5 | 1,319.2 | 1,144.6 | 2,463.8 | 8.0 | 53.5 |
| PERSONS | | | | | | | | | |
| March— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 2,047.3 | 2,613.0 | 238.3 | 288.6 | 2,901.6 | 1,741.4 | 4,643.0 | 9.9 | 62.5 |
| 1993 | 1,980.7 | 2,535.0 | 274.2 | 329.9 | 2,864.9 | 1,820.7 | 4,685.5 | 11.5 | 61.1 |
| 1994 | 2,032.4 | 2,633.0 | 259.2 | 310.1 | 2,943.1 | 1,786.1 | 4,729.2 | 10.5 | 62.2 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 2,077.5 | 2,670.2 | 222.2 | 274.2 | 2,944.4 | 1,827.9 | 4,772.4 | 9.3 | 61.7 |
| February | 2,099.1 | 2,699.8 | 227.2 | 289.7 | 2,989.4 | 1,787.9 | 4,777.4 | 9.7 | 62.6 |
| March | 2,079.3 | 2,713.0 | 198.5 | 258.7 | 2,971.7 | 1,810.7 | 4,782.4 | 8.7 | 62.1 |
| April | 2,100.6 | 2,743.1 | 180.2 | 225.9 | 2,968.9 | 1,818.5 | 4,787.4 | 7.6 | 62.0 |
| May | 2,104.2 | 2,746.5 | 181.2 | 226.6 | 2,973.1 | 1,819.3 | 4,792.4 | 7.6 | 62.0 |
| June | 2,118.3 | 2,769.0 | 181.0 | 219.0 | 2,988.0 | 1,809.5 | 4,797.4 | 7.3 | 62.3 |
| July | 2,144.7 | 2,770.4 | 176.4 | 211.1 | 2,981.5 | 1,820.3 | 4,801.8 | 7.1 | 62.1 |
| August | 2,111.8 | 2,751.5 | 182.1 | 226.6 | 2,978.1 | 1,828.2 | 4,806.3 | 7.6 | 62.0 |
| September | 2,160.3 | 2,811.0 | 184.7 | 230.3 | 3,041.2 | 1,769.5 | 4,810.7 | 7.6 | 63.2 |
| October | 2,137.9 | 2,792.9 | 178.4 | 222.0 | 3,014.9 | 1,800.7 | 4,815.6 | 7.4 | 62.6 |
| November | 2,143.5 | 2,811.6 | 186.2 | 228.6 | 3,040.2 | 1,780.4 | 4,820.6 | 7.5 | 63.1 |
| December | 2,184.7 | 2,832.0 | 186.2 | 225.5 | 3,057.5 | 1,768.0 | 4,825.5 | 7.4 | 63.4 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 2,161.9 | 2,746.9 | 206.7 | 254.7 | 3,001.6 | 1,830.1 | 4,831.6 | 8.5 | 62.1 |
| February | 2,139.4 | 2,771.6 | 210.8 | 260.4 | 3,032.0 | 1,805.8 | 4,837.7 | 8.6 | 62.7 |
| March | 2,136.8 | 2,796.5 | 200.1 | 256.4 | 3,052.9 | 1,790.9 | 4,843.9 | 8.4 | 63.0 |

(a) The number of unemployed in each group expressed as a percentage of the labour force in the same group. (b) The labour force in each group is expressed as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 and over in the same group.

**TABLE 4. LABOUR FORCE STATUS OF THE CIVILIAN POPULATION AGED 15 AND OVER
SYDNEY MAJOR STATISTICAL REGION (a)**

| Month | Employed | | Unemployed | | Labour force ('000) | Not in labour force ('000) | Civilian population aged 15 and over ('000) | Unemployment rate (b) (per cent) | Participation rate (c) (per cent) |
|-----------------|--------------------------|--------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|---------------------|----------------------------|---|----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | Full-time workers ('000) | Total ('000) | Looking for full-time work ('000) | Total ('000) | | | | | |
| MALES | | | | | | | | | |
| March— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 889.3 | 977.5 | 90.6 | 100.1 | 1,077.6 | 356.5 | 1,434.1 | 9.3 | 75.1 |
| 1993 | 863.5 | 950.4 | 103.8 | 115.4 | 1,065.8 | 381.5 | 1,447.3 | 10.8 | 73.6 |
| 1994 | 877.1 | 984.1 | 93.6 | 106.3 | 1,090.4 | 369.4 | 1,459.8 | 9.7 | 74.7 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 898.9 | 1,001.4 | 84.9 | 97.9 | 1,099.3 | 371.3 | 1,470.6 | 8.9 | 74.8 |
| February | 912.6 | 1,009.2 | 82.1 | 93.3 | 1,102.5 | 369.1 | 1,471.6 | 8.5 | 74.9 |
| March | 907.5 | 1,010.1 | 73.0 | 84.2 | 1,094.2 | 378.3 | 1,472.6 | 7.7 | 74.3 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 929.2 | 1,014.9 | 74.2 | 85.4 | 1,100.3 | 379.9 | 1,480.2 | 7.8 | 74.3 |
| February | 914.2 | 1,018.9 | 75.7 | 87.7 | 1,106.6 | 374.5 | 1,481.1 | 7.9 | 74.7 |
| March | 898.1 | 1,018.2 | 76.2 | 87.7 | 1,105.9 | 376.1 | 1,482.0 | 7.9 | 74.6 |
| MARRIED FEMALES | | | | | | | | | |
| March— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 244.2 | 414.5 | 19.7 | 30.8 | 445.3 | 378.6 | 824.0 | 6.9 | 54.0 |
| 1993 | 239.9 | 407.0 | 24.2 | 37.3 | 444.3 | 385.8 | 830.1 | 8.4 | 53.5 |
| 1994 | 267.6 | 443.4 | 19.2 | 28.0 | 471.5 | 379.4 | 850.8 | 5.9 | 55.4 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 252.6 | 418.6 | 14.2 | 22.1 | 440.7 | 405.7 | 846.3 | 5.0 | 52.1 |
| February | 249.5 | 424.6 | 18.6 | 29.1 | 453.8 | 392.2 | 846.0 | 6.4 | 53.6 |
| March | 251.0 | 433.1 | 16.0 | 25.9 | 459.0 | 389.4 | 848.4 | 5.6 | 54.1 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 258.9 | 419.3 | 12.5 | 19.7 | 439.0 | 411.3 | 850.3 | 4.5 | 51.6 |
| February | 258.4 | 433.8 | 20.1 | 28.2 | 462.0 | 393.4 | 855.4 | 6.1 | 54.0 |
| March | 264.5 | 445.5 | 18.7 | 29.7 | 475.2 | 379.2 | 854.5 | 6.2 | 55.6 |
| ALL FEMALES | | | | | | | | | |
| March— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 478.1 | 727.2 | 48.5 | 69.7 | 796.8 | 699.7 | 1,496.6 | 8.7 | 53.2 |
| 1993 | 465.2 | 717.2 | 56.7 | 81.5 | 798.7 | 711.1 | 1,509.8 | 10.2 | 52.9 |
| 1994 | 497.1 | 768.0 | 50.9 | 70.6 | 838.6 | 684.4 | 1,523.0 | 8.4 | 55.1 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 489.1 | 747.2 | 46.2 | 65.9 | 813.1 | 720.9 | 1,534.0 | 8.1 | 53.0 |
| February | 484.9 | 749.3 | 58.4 | 82.2 | 831.5 | 703.4 | 1,534.9 | 9.9 | 54.2 |
| March | 473.7 | 751.5 | 45.1 | 70.5 | 822.0 | 713.7 | 1,535.7 | 8.6 | 53.5 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 506.7 | 763.7 | 37.2 | 51.1 | 814.8 | 727.9 | 1,542.7 | 6.3 | 52.8 |
| February | 497.6 | 775.4 | 43.1 | 63.8 | 839.1 | 704.6 | 1,543.7 | 7.6 | 54.4 |
| March | 505.7 | 791.0 | 39.0 | 61.0 | 852.0 | 692.7 | 1,544.7 | 7.2 | 55.2 |
| PERSONS | | | | | | | | | |
| March— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 1,367.4 | 1,704.7 | 139.1 | 169.7 | 1,874.4 | 1,056.3 | 2,930.7 | 9.1 | 64.0 |
| 1993 | 1,328.7 | 1,667.6 | 160.4 | 196.9 | 1,864.5 | 1,092.6 | 2,957.1 | 10.6 | 63.1 |
| 1994 | 1,374.2 | 1,752.1 | 144.4 | 176.9 | 1,929.0 | 1,053.8 | 2,982.8 | 9.2 | 64.7 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 1,388.0 | 1,748.5 | 131.1 | 163.9 | 1,912.4 | 1,092.2 | 3,004.6 | 8.6 | 63.6 |
| February | 1,397.5 | 1,758.5 | 140.5 | 175.5 | 1,934.0 | 1,072.4 | 3,006.4 | 9.1 | 64.3 |
| March | 1,381.2 | 1,761.5 | 118.1 | 154.7 | 1,916.2 | 1,092.1 | 3,008.3 | 8.1 | 63.7 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 1,435.9 | 1,778.6 | 111.4 | 136.5 | 1,915.1 | 1,107.8 | 3,022.9 | 7.1 | 63.4 |
| February | 1,411.7 | 1,794.2 | 118.9 | 151.5 | 1,945.7 | 1,079.1 | 3,024.8 | 7.8 | 64.3 |
| March | 1,403.8 | 1,809.1 | 115.2 | 148.8 | 1,957.9 | 1,068.9 | 3,026.8 | 7.6 | 64.7 |

(a) Sydney Major Statistical Region is equivalent to Sydney Statistical Division. (b) The number of unemployed in each group expressed as a percentage of the labour force in the same group. (c) The labour force in each group expressed as a percentage of the civilian population aged 15 and over in the same group.

TABLE 5. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: NUMBER UNEMPLOYED AND UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (a), BY AGE, NSW

| Month | Age group (years) | | | | | | Total |
|------------------------------|-------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------------|-------|
| | 15-19 | 20-24 | 25-34 | 35-44 | 45-54 | 55 and over | |
| NUMBER UNEMPLOYED ('000) | | | | | | | |
| March— | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 56.2 | 54.2 | 79.0 | 47.4 | 30.3 | 21.5 | 288.6 |
| 1993 | 51.5 | 59.9 | 85.8 | 64.8 | 43.1 | 24.8 | 329.9 |
| 1994 | 59.4 | 54.6 | 73.4 | 60.2 | 40.1 | 22.4 | 310.1 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | |
| January | 60.9 | 43.4 | 67.4 | 51.1 | 33.4 | 18.0 | 274.2 |
| February | 57.2 | 52.1 | 72.4 | 53.4 | 33.4 | 21.2 | 289.7 |
| March | 48.1 | 42.7 | 61.3 | 56.4 | 34.4 | 15.8 | 258.7 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | |
| January | 51.9 | 55.6 | 53.2 | 47.8 | 28.0 | 18.2 | 254.7 |
| February | 51.1 | 49.2 | 59.6 | 47.2 | 34.2 | 19.0 | 260.4 |
| March | 51.9 | 46.6 | 55.0 | 47.3 | 34.1 | 21.4 | 256.4 |
| UNEMPLOYMENT RATE (per cent) | | | | | | | |
| March— | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 23.1 | 14.3 | 10.2 | 6.5 | 5.9 | 8.4 | 9.9 |
| 1993 | 23.2 | 16.0 | 11.5 | 8.8 | 8.0 | 9.7 | 11.5 |
| 1994 | 24.6 | 13.9 | 9.9 | 8.4 | 7.1 | 7.9 | 10.5 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | |
| January | 23.2 | 10.9 | 9.1 | 7.2 | 5.9 | 6.7 | 9.3 |
| February | 22.5 | 13.0 | 9.6 | 7.3 | 5.8 | 7.7 | 9.7 |
| March | 19.7 | 10.9 | 8.2 | 7.7 | 5.9 | 5.8 | 8.7 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | |
| January | 20.3 | 14.2 | 7.0 | 6.4 | 4.8 | 6.6 | 8.5 |
| February | 20.7 | 12.7 | 7.7 | 6.2 | 5.8 | 6.9 | 8.6 |
| March | 21.3 | 11.9 | 7.1 | 6.2 | 5.8 | 7.5 | 8.4 |

(a) The number of unemployed in each group expressed as a percentage of the labour force in the same group.

TABLE 6. UNEMPLOYED PERSONS: DURATION OF UNEMPLOYMENT (a) NSW

| Month | Duration of unemployment (weeks) | | | | | | | Average duration of unemployment (b) (weeks) |
|----------|----------------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| | Under 13 ('000) | 13 and under 26 ('000) | 26 and under 39 ('000) | 39 and under 52 ('000) | 52 and under 65 ('000) | 65 and under 104 ('000) | 104 and over unemployed ('000) | |
| March— | | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 98.2 | 50.1 | 33.3 | 11.5 | 32.2 | 18.4 | 45.0 | 50.9 |
| 1993 | 107.7 | 48.9 | 33.7 | 13.7 | 37.4 | 27.1 | 61.3 | 56.5 |
| 1994 | 99.0 | 49.2 | 30.3 | 9.4 | 32.4 | 19.8 | 70.1 | 62.5 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | |
| January | 110.4 | 27.0 | 22.6 | 13.0 | 27.2 | 16.2 | 57.8 | 61.7 |
| February | 119.9 | 29.6 | 25.6 | 8.1 | 28.4 | 11.0 | 67.1 | 59.2 |
| March | 110.4 | 36.5 | 19.3 | 5.9 | 18.2 | 9.5 | 58.9 | 57.8 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | | |
| January | 109.9 | 25.9 | 23.2 | 11.8 | 20.6 | 12.4 | 50.9 | 55.7 |
| February | 116.0 | 32.3 | 25.8 | 7.3 | 19.3 | 10.4 | 49.3 | 52.6 |
| March | 107.3 | 38.4 | 28.8 | 7.3 | 17.9 | 9.2 | 47.6 | 55.4 |

(a) Period from the time the person began looking for work or was stood down to the end of the reference week. Periods of unemployment are recorded in complete weeks and this results in a slight understatement of duration. (b) Average duration is obtained by dividing the aggregate number of weeks a group has been unemployed by the number of persons in that group.

**TABLE 7. EMPLOYED CIVILIAN WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS:
SECTOR AND FULL-TIME/PART-TIME STATUS, NSW
('000)**

| Month | Sector | | | | | | | | |
|-----------|------------------|---------|-------------------|------------------|-------|-------|------------------|------------------|---------|
| | Government | | | | | | Total employed | | |
| | Private | | State | | Local | | | | |
| | Full-time (a) | Total | Common- wealth | Full-time (a) | | Total | | | |
| | | | | | | | Full-time (a) | Part-time (b) | Total |
| MALES | | | | | | | | | |
| February— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1991 | 719.0 | 852.6 | 84.4 | 162.5 | 178.5 | 47.0 | 1,012.6 | 149.8 | 1,162.6 |
| 1992 | 663.9 | 797.4 | 81.3 | 156.6 | 173.0 | 44.7 | 943.5 | 152.9 | 1,096.4 |
| 1993 | 670.4 | 801.1 | 75.5 | 155.0 | 168.7 | 40.3 | 937.9 | 147.7 | 1,085.6 |
| 1993— | | | | | | | | | |
| November | 675.6 | 816.6 | 70.9 | 152.1 | 172.3 | 39.4 | 934.6 | 164.6 | 1,099.2 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | | | |
| February | 660.6 | 800.7 | 70.0 | 151.0 | 164.1 | 38.8 | 917.1 | 156.6 | 1,073.7 |
| May | 652.2 | 793.9 | 68.8 | 145.6 | 167.0 | 38.7 | 901.8 | 166.6 | 1,068.4 |
| August | 658.1 | 800.4 | 68.2 | 144.5 | 163.5 | 38.1 | 905.5 | 164.7 | 1,070.2 |
| November | 677.1 | 831.4 | 68.9 | 145.7 | 165.4 | 38.2 | 926.3 | 177.7 | 1,103.9 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | | |
| February | 670.8 | 842.0 | 69.5 | 143.5 | 158.9 | 38.0 | 918.2 | 190.1 | 1,108.3 |
| FEMALES | | | | | | | | | |
| February— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1991 | 381.8 | 693.8 | 52.9 | 124.5 | 172.1 | 13.7 | 562.5 | 369.9 | 932.5 |
| 1992 | 365.3 | 657.5 | 51.4 | 120.6 | 177.7 | 13.5 | 539.4 | 360.7 | 900.1 |
| 1993 | 367.2 | 664.4 | 49.3 | 122.6 | 174.7 | 13.7 | 541.2 | 360.8 | 902.0 |
| 1993— | | | | | | | | | |
| November | 356.9 | 649.7 | 45.8 | 123.6 | 185.4 | 14.1 | 528.7 | 366.3 | 895.0 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | | | |
| February | 361.6 | 658.2 | 45.9 | 118.9 | 165.8 | 14.4 | 528.8 | 355.5 | 884.2 |
| May | 366.4 | 678.0 | 46.3 | 119.2 | 177.7 | 14.5 | 534.2 | 382.2 | 916.5 |
| August | 373.3 | 678.5 | 46.9 | 121.9 | 181.5 | 14.5 | 544.5 | 377.0 | 921.5 |
| November | 373.0 | 706.8 | 47.1 | 122.1 | 182.8 | 14.9 | 544.6 | 407.0 | 951.6 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | | |
| February | 382.5 | 723.1 | 48.0 | 120.1 | 175.1 | 14.9 | 553.0 | 408.0 | 961.0 |
| PERSONS | | | | | | | | | |
| February— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1991 | 1,100.8 | 1,546.4 | 137.3 | 287.0 | 350.6 | 60.7 | 1,575.3 | 519.8 | 2,095.1 |
| 1992 | 1,029.2 | 1,454.9 | 132.7 | 277.2 | 350.6 | 58.3 | 1,482.9 | 513.6 | 1,996.5 |
| 1993 | 1,037.6 | 1,465.6 | 124.7 | 277.7 | 343.4 | 54.0 | 1,479.1 | 508.5 | 1,987.6 |
| 1993— | | | | | | | | | |
| November | 1,032.5 | 1,466.3 | 116.7 | 275.7 | 357.7 | 53.5 | 1,463.3 | 530.9 | 1,994.2 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | | | |
| February | 1,022.2 | 1,458.9 | 115.9 | 269.9 | 329.9 | 53.2 | 1,445.8 | 512.1 | 1,957.9 |
| May | 1,018.7 | 1,471.9 | 115.1 | 264.7 | 344.7 | 53.1 | 1,436.0 | 548.9 | 1,984.9 |
| August | 1,031.5 | 1,478.9 | 115.1 | 266.5 | 345.1 | 52.6 | 1,450.0 | 541.7 | 1,991.7 |
| November | 1,050.0 | 1,538.2 | 116.0 | 267.8 | 348.2 | 53.1 | 1,470.8 | 584.7 | 2,055.5 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | | |
| February | 1,053.4 | 1,565.0 | 117.4 | 263.6 | 334.0 | 52.9 | 1,471.2 | 598.1 | 2,069.3 |

(a) Full-time employees are permanent, temporary and casual employees who normally work the agreed or award hours for a full-time employee in their occupation and received pay for any part of the reference period. If agreed or award hours do not apply, employees are regarded as full-time if they ordinarily work 35 hours or more per week. (b) Part-time employees are permanent, temporary and casual employees who are not full-time employees as previously defined.

NOTE: The tables on pages 6 and 7 contain estimates derived from the Survey of Employment and Earnings, an Australia-wide employer-based survey. Explanatory notes are contained in *Employed Wage and Salary Earners, Australia* (6248.0), which is issued quarterly and is available from the Sydney Office of the ABS. Estimates derived from the Survey of Employment and Earnings will differ from labour force estimates derived from the Monthly Population Survey for the reasons set out in the Information Paper *Comparison of Employment Estimates from the Labour Force Survey and the Survey of Employment and Earnings* (6263.0).

**TABLE 8. EMPLOYED CIVILIAN WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS:
INDUSTRY DIVISION (a), NSW
(000)**

| <i>Month</i> | <i>Manufacturing</i> | <i>Construction</i> | <i>Wholesale and retail trade</i> | <i>Transport and storage</i> | <i>Finance, etc.</i> | <i>Community services (b)</i> | <i>Other industries (c)</i> | <i>Total (d)</i> |
|------------------|----------------------|---------------------|---|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------|
| MALES | | | | | | | | |
| <i>February—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 1991 | 242.6 | 78.2 | 230.9 | 84.6 | 151.1 | 142.1 | 230.8 | 1,162.6 |
| 1992 | 221.0 | 73.8 | 220.7 | 73.3 | 144.2 | 144.4 | 216.5 | 1,096.4 |
| 1993 | 217.2 | 68.3 | 232.0 | 73.2 | 145.0 | 142.7 | 205.3 | 1,085.6 |
| <i>1993—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| November | 228.7 | 84.4 | 228.1 | 78.5 | 133.0 | 144.3 | 200.5 | 1,099.2 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| February | 221.4 | 75.3 | 223.6 | 75.7 | 137.5 | 141.3 | 198.9 | 1,073.7 |
| May | 209.6 | 76.3 | 222.6 | 76.1 | 134.4 | 148.0 | 201.4 | 1,068.4 |
| August | 206.0 | 83.1 | 217.0 | 72.6 | 142.3 | 149.5 | 199.7 | 1,070.2 |
| November | 219.4 | 83.5 | 227.7 | 76.5 | 140.8 | 149.6 | 204.7 | 1,103.9 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| February | 217.2 | 80.7 | 216.4 | 71.9 | 148.4 | 166.3 | 205.6 | 1,108.3 |
| FEMALES | | | | | | | | |
| <i>February—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 1991 | 94.6 | 15.2 | 195.4 | 27.0 | 172.2 | 275.2 | 152.5 | 932.5 |
| 1992 | 84.4 | 15.5 | 188.9 | 23.8 | 165.0 | 280.0 | 141.8 | 900.1 |
| 1993 | 87.1 | 17.7 | 196.8 | 22.4 | 165.9 | 275.8 | 136.0 | 902.0 |
| <i>1993—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| November | 82.5 | 16.2 | 204.3 | 21.7 | 151.1 | 274.8 | 143.9 | 895.0 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| February | 86.7 | 14.1 | 197.1 | 20.3 | 145.6 | 283.5 | 136.9 | 884.2 |
| May | 83.7 | 13.6 | 200.3 | 25.1 | 154.3 | 302.4 | 137.1 | 916.5 |
| August | 80.1 | 14.6 | 197.9 | 23.4 | 155.9 | 312.9 | 136.7 | 921.5 |
| November | 82.2 | 14.0 | 206.4 | 27.2 | 161.3 | 311.6 | 148.5 | 951.6 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| February | 83.7 | 16.0 | 206.1 | 25.5 | 166.7 | 312.9 | 149.7 | 961.0 |
| PERSONS | | | | | | | | |
| <i>February—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 1991 | 337.3 | 93.4 | 426.3 | 111.5 | 323.3 | 417.3 | 383.1 | 2,095.1 |
| 1992 | 305.4 | 89.3 | 409.6 | 97.1 | 309.2 | 424.3 | 358.4 | 1,996.5 |
| 1993 | 304.3 | 86.1 | 428.8 | 95.7 | 310.9 | 418.5 | 341.2 | 1,987.6 |
| <i>1993—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| November | 311.3 | 100.6 | 432.5 | 100.1 | 284.2 | 419.2 | 344.4 | 1,994.2 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| February | 308.1 | 89.4 | 420.7 | 96.0 | 283.1 | 424.9 | 335.7 | 1,957.9 |
| May | 293.3 | 89.9 | 422.9 | 101.2 | 288.7 | 450.4 | 338.5 | 1,984.9 |
| August | 286.1 | 97.7 | 414.9 | 96.0 | 298.3 | 462.4 | 336.4 | 1,991.7 |
| November | 301.6 | 97.5 | 434.1 | 103.7 | 302.1 | 461.2 | 353.2 | 2,055.5 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| February | 300.9 | 96.7 | 422.5 | 97.4 | 315.1 | 479.2 | 355.3 | 2,069.3 |

(a) Classified in accordance with the Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC) described in *Australian Standard Industrial Classification Volume 1 — The Classification* (1201.0). (b) Includes Education, Health Services, Law and Order, and Religious and Social Welfare Services. (c) Comprises Mining, Electricity, Gas and Water, Communication, Public Administration and Defence, and Recreation, Personal and Other Services. (d) Includes employees of government agencies classified to Agriculture, Forestry, Fishing and Hunting.

TABLE 9. JOB VACANCIES, NSW: SECTOR AND INDUSTRY

| Survey date | Sector | | Industry | | Total ('000) | Job vacancy rate (a) (per cent) |
|-------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------------------------|
| | Private ('000) | Public ('000) | Manufacturing ('000) | Other ('000) | | |
| 1994— | | | | | | |
| 18 November | 24.8 | 4.5 | 2.8 | 26.5 | 29.3 | 1.3 |
| 1995— | | | | | | |
| 17 February | 19.3 | 4.8 | 3.0 | 21.1 | 24.1 | 1.1 |
| 19 May | 20.8 | 3.1 | 2.5 | 21.4 | 23.9 | 1.1 |
| 18 August | 28.6 | 3.5 | 3.4 | 28.6 | 32.0 | 1.4 |
| 17 November | 21.3 | 4.1 | 2.2 | 23.2 | 25.4 | 1.1 |
| 1996— | | | | | | |
| 16 February | 22.5 | 4.3 | *3.5 | 23.3 | 26.8 | 1.1 |

(a) The job vacancy rate is calculated by expressing the number of job vacancies as a percentage of the number of employees plus vacancies.

TABLE 10. OVERTIME (a), NSW

| Period (b) | Average weekly overtime hours per employee (c) | | Average weekly overtime hours per employee working overtime (d) | Percentage of employees working overtime (e) |
|-------------|---|---------------------|--|--|
| | Manufacturing industries | Total industries | | |
| 1994— | | | | |
| November | 3.19 | 1.28 | 7.44 | 17.16 |
| 1995— | | | | |
| February | 2.59 | 1.13 | 7.23 | 15.64 |
| May | 2.50 | 1.18 | 7.10 | 16.57 |
| August | 2.13 | 1.12 | 6.95 | 16.11 |
| November | 2.39 | 1.15 | 7.00 | 16.40 |
| 1996— | | | | |
| 16 February | 2.40 | 1.1 | 7.28 | 15.10 |

(a) Overtime is time worked in excess of award, standard or agreed hours of work for which payment is received. Overtime hours represent the number of hours of overtime paid for. (b) The figures shown are based on the last pay period ending on or before the third Friday of the month shown. (c) Calculated by dividing total overtime hours paid for in each group by the total number of employees in the same group. (d) Calculated by dividing total overtime hours paid for by the number of employees who were paid for overtime. (e) The number of employees who were paid for overtime as a percentage of the total number of employees.

TABLE 11. WORKING DAYS LOST (a) IN INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES WHICH OCCURRED DURING THE PERIOD (b), NSW ('000)

| Period | Manufacturing | | | Construction | Transport and storage; Communication services | Other industries | Total |
|-----------|---------------|--|-------|--------------|---|------------------|-------|
| | Mining | Metal product; Machinery and equipment | Other | | | | |
| 1993 | 46.5 | 57.4 | 11.2 | 5.0 | 5.0 | 53.3 | 178.3 |
| 1994 | 80.8 | 25.1 | 14.6 | 0.1 | 20.3 | 82.2 | 223.2 |
| 1995 | 51.2 | 22.2 | 11.0 | 2.5 | 7.9 | 18.2 | 113.0 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | |
| October | 1.4 | 6.7 | 1.8 | — | — | 0.3 | 10.2 |
| November | 2.3 | 0.2 | 3.1 | — | 2.0 | 65.3 | 72.9 |
| December | 0.7 | 0.4 | 1.5 | — | 5.4 | 0.3 | 8.3 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | |
| January | 0.3 | 1.4 | — | — | 1.0 | 0.1 | 2.8 |
| February | 2.3 | 2.1 | 0.3 | 0.1 | — | 1.6 | 6.4 |
| March | 0.8 | 4.8 | 2.0 | — | 0.3 | 1.0 | 8.9 |
| April | 1.4 | 3.4 | 0.1 | 0.2 | 0.1 | — | 5.2 |
| May | 5.7 | 0.5 | 2.0 | — | 1.8 | — | 10.0 |
| June | 1.9 | 0.3 | — | 1.4 | 0.2 | 2.8 | 6.6 |
| July | 2.0 | 0.3 | 0.1 | — | 0.5 | 0.1 | 3.0 |
| August | 3.5 | 0.5 | 4.3 | — | 0.4 | 4.6 | 13.3 |
| September | 3.1 | 1.1 | 0.6 | — | — | 2.1 | 6.9 |
| October | 3.4 | 0.3 | 1.0 | 0.4 | 1.0 | 0.6 | 6.7 |
| November | 25.1 | 5.6 | 0.7 | — | 2.5 | 4.4 | 38.3 |
| December | 1.7 | 1.9 | — | 0.4 | — | 0.8 | 4.8 |

(a) Working days lost refer to days lost by: (i) employees who were directly involved in the dispute, and (ii) employees who worked in establishments where stoppages occurred but were not themselves parties to the disputes; excluded is the time lost, as a result of the disputes, by employees in other establishments.

(b) Relates to industrial disputes involving a stoppage of work for a minimum of 10 working days, regardless of the length of the stoppage, for example, 80 employees on strike for one hour. Disputes are classified by industry according to the Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC). Disputes prior to January 1994 are classified by industry according to the Australian Standard Industrial Classification (ASIC).

TABLE 12. AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS OF EMPLOYEES, NSW (dollars)

| Period (a) | Males | | | Females | | | Persons | | |
|------------|------------------------|----------------|-----------|------------------------|----------------|-------------|------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| | Full-time adults | | All males | Full-time adults | | All females | Full-time adults | | All employees |
| | Ordinary time earnings | Total earnings | | Ordinary time earnings | Total earnings | | Ordinary time earnings | Total earnings | |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| November— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1991 | 631.30 | 677.00 | 601.70 | 523.80 | 537.00 | 398.70 | 594.40 | 628.90 | 512.00 |
| 1992 | 640.30 | 689.60 | 621.40 | 530.10 | 544.20 | 420.90 | 599.80 | 636.20 | 529.70 |
| 1993 | 650.40 | 706.00 | 626.10 | 549.80 | 565.10 | 428.10 | 614.50 | 655.70 | 537.20 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | | | |
| August | 679.00 | 735.50 | 658.00 | 574.10 | 590.20 | 444.30 | 641.30 | 683.30 | 560.80 |
| November | 693.10 | 755.50 | 670.10 | 581.10 | 597.70 | 439.80 | 652.20 | 697.90 | 562.30 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | | |
| February | 709.40 | 767.70 | 680.00 | 590.60 | 606.70 | 449.00 | 665.50 | 708.30 | 571.80 |
| May | 722.10 | 779.10 | 682.40 | 593.70 | 610.10 | 451.20 | 673.90 | 715.60 | 573.20 |
| August | 732.50 | 790.60 | 687.90 | 602.70 | 619.00 | 455.20 | 684.10 | 726.70 | 578.50 |
| November | 740.00 | 810.20 | 692.00 | 601.00 | 618.80 | 455.20 | 689.00 | 740.00 | 582.90 |

(a) Weekly earnings are based on the last pay period ending on or before the third Friday of the month shown.

TABLE 13. AVERAGE RETAIL PRICES OF SELECTED ITEMS, SYDNEY
(cents)

| Item | Unit | June qtr 1992 | June qtr 1993 | June qtr 1994 | Sept. qtr 1994 | Dec. qtr 1994 | March qtr 1995 | June qtr 1995 | Sept. qtr 1995 | Dec. qtr 1995 |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Milk, carton (a) (b) | 1 litre | 99 | 101 | 102 | 104 | 105 | 107 | 108 | 110 | 111 |
| Butter | 500 g | 160 | 164 | 162 | 172 | 174 | 156 | 156 | 160 | 170 |
| Bread, white loaf, sliced (a) | 680 g | 156 | 167 | 166 | 163 | 170 | 177 | 179 | 185 | 186 |
| Flour, self raising | 2 kg | 274 | 275 | 285 | 298 | 294 | 303 | 305 | 311 | 314 |
| Rice, medium grain | 1 kg | 107 | 114 | 119 | 114 | 123 | 121 | 117 | 123 | 125 |
| Rump steak | 1 kg | 1,181 | 1,270 | 1,283 | 1,257 | 1,236 | 1,267 | 1,260 | 1,299 | 1,311 |
| Silverside, corned | 1 kg | 739 | 712 | 718 | 715 | 705 | 724 | 725 | 737 | 729 |
| Lamb, leg | 1 kg | 508 | 601 | 602 | 581 | 607 | 599 | 623 | 652 | 631 |
| Lamb, loin chops | 1 kg | 579 | 719 | 714 | 644 | 682 | 701 | 755 | 801 | 754 |
| Chicken, frozen | 1 kg | 276 | 271 | 295 | 275 | 277 | 303 | 295 | 268 | 280 |
| Bacon, middle rashers | 250 g pkt | 296 | 276 | 264 | 264 | 284 | 282 | 285 | 287 | 282 |
| Potatoes | 1 kg | 75 | 74 | 74 | 68 | 109 | 107 | 98 | 116 | 133 |
| Onions | 1 kg | 84 | 133 | 114 | 108 | 108 | 121 | 140 | 190 | 181 |
| Eggs (d) | 55 g, 1 doz. | 166 | 187 | 192 | 194 | 192 | 196 | 218 | 238 | 245 |
| Sugar, white | 2 kg | 175 | 208 | 199 | 204 | 203 | 206 | 206 | 213 | 218 |
| Margarine, poly-unsaturated | 500 g | 150 | 144 | 126 | 135 | 160 | 153 | 164 | 172 | 155 |
| Tea | 250 g | 175 | 178 | 186 | 185 | 177 | 185 | 181 | 184 | 189 |
| Coffee, instant | 150 g jar | 423 | 434 | 449 | 374 | 526 | 583 | 573 | 580 | 591 |
| Pet food | 410 g | 90 | 97 | 94 | 88 | 91 | 94 | 95 | 95 | 95 |
| Petrol, leaded | 1 litre | 67.1 | 65.5 | 68.7 | 70.1 | 67.8 | 68.9 | 70.6 | 72.4 | 71.9 |
| Beer, full strength, unchilled (c) | 24 x 375 ml bottles | 2,364 | 2,501 | 2,516 | 2,534 | 2,521 | 2,517 | 2,516 | 2,589 | 2,587 |
| Toilet soap | 2 x 125 g | 156 | 159 | 151 | 144 | 158 | 154 | 164 | 170 | 164 |

(a) Supermarket sales. (b) Prior to September quarter 1991 published as Milk bottled, delivered 2 x 600 ml. (c) Prior to March quarter 1992 the unit was 12 x 750 ml bottles. (d) Eggs in Sydney have a net carton weight of 700g per dozen.

NOTE: Prices shown are the averages of prices for specified grades, qualities, brands, etc. charged by a number of selected retailers in Sydney. They should be regarded as no more than approximate indicators of price levels and price changes for the items concerned.

TABLE 14. CONSUMER PRICE INDEX
(Base of each group index: 1989-90 = 100.0)

| Group | June qtr 1992 | June qtr 1993 | June qtr 1994 | Sept. qtr 1994 | Dec. qtr 1994 | March qtr 1995 | June qtr 1995 | Sept. qtr 1995 | Dec. qtr 1995 |
|---|------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|-------------------|------------------|
| Sydney— | | | | | | | | | |
| Food | 106.4 | 107.8 | 109.4 | 110.2 | 111.4 | 113.4 | 114.0 | 116.0 | 116.4 |
| Clothing | 106.1 | 108.0 | 106.0 | 106.6 | 106.6 | 106.0 | 107.0 | 106.7 | 107.2 |
| Housing | 96.8 | 96.1 | 95.9 | 96.8 | 99.1 | 104.4 | 106.6 | 107.4 | 108.4 |
| Household equipment and operation | 107.6 | 106.0 | 106.0 | 106.2 | 106.6 | 107.1 | 108.5 | 109.0 | 109.8 |
| Transportation | 107.0 | 109.9 | 112.7 | 115.3 | 114.9 | 115.4 | 116.8 | 121.1 | 121.9 |
| Tobacco and alcohol | 118.3 | 130.7 | 138.1 | 139.9 | 141.9 | 143.3 | 150.2 | 158.3 | 161.5 |
| Health and personal care | 116.2 | 120.4 | 124.4 | 126.3 | 126.0 | 128.7 | 129.7 | 130.4 | 131.6 |
| Recreation and education | 106.0 | 110.3 | 112.5 | 112.0 | 112.6 | 113.8 | 115.5 | 115.8 | 116.7 |
| Sydney, All groups | 106.5 | 108.4 | 110.0 | 111.0 | 111.8 | 113.7 | 115.4 | 117.3 | 118.3 |
| Eight capitals (a), All groups | 107.3 | 109.3 | 111.2 | 111.9 | 112.8 | 114.7 | 116.2 | 117.6 | 118.5 |

(a) Weighted average of eight capital cities.

NOTE: The Consumer Price Index is designed to measure quarterly variations in the level of retail prices for goods and services which represent a high proportion of the expenditure of wage and salary earner households. The index covers a large and representative selection of commodities and services arranged in eight major groups.

TABLE 15. PRICE INDEXES OF MATERIALS USED IN HOUSE BUILDING
(Base of each group index: 1989-90 = 100.0)

| Item | June 1993 | June 1994 | June 1995 | February 1995 | December 1995 | January 1996 | February 1996 |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Sydney, selected items— | | | | | | | |
| Ready mixed concrete | 98.8 | 107.2 | 109.9 | 109.5 | 108.7 | 108.7 | 107.0 |
| Clay bricks | 104.9 | 110.1 | 114.0 | 114.6 | 113.5 | 113.5 | 113.5 |
| Structural timber | 117.8 | 125.3 | 121.5 | 123.2 | 115.6 | 114.7 | 114.6 |
| Cupboards and built-in furniture | 110.2 | 110.9 | 116.2 | 110.2 | 115.6 | 116.1 | 116.1 |
| Plaster products | 111.7 | 111.8 | 116.2 | 111.2 | 116.2 | 116.0 | 116.0 |
| Builders' hardware | 115.4 | 118.9 | 126.6 | 119.5 | 123.2 | 123.2 | 123.2 |
| Aluminium windows and doors | 95.5 | 94.5 | 107.8 | 107.0 | 104.3 | 105.5 | 105.5 |
| Timber doors and frames | 106.1 | 112.6 | 118.2 | 116.6 | 116.7 | 118.5 | 118.1 |
| Metal roofing and gutters (a) | 106.9 | 106.4 | 107.8 | 107.8 | 107.2 | 108.0 | 108.2 |
| Ceramic tiles | 100.8 | 100.8 | 99.9 | 100.2 | 99.4 | 99.4 | 99.4 |
| Paint | 122.2 | 116.5 | 119.0 | 117.6 | 115.4 | 116.1 | 120.7 |
| <i>Sydney, All groups</i> | <i>109.6</i> | <i>113.3</i> | <i>116.7</i> | <i>115.6</i> | <i>115.5</i> | <i>115.6</i> | <i>115.5</i> |
| Six capitals (b), All groups | 109.6 | 113.6 | 116.3 | 116.0 | 115.6 | 115.6 | 115.3 |

(a) Previously 'Metal sheet, fascia and guttering'. (b) Weighted average of six State capital cities.

TABLE 16. PRICE INDEXES OF MATERIALS USED IN BUILDING OTHER THAN HOUSE BUILDING
(Base of each group index: 1989-90 = 100.0)

| Item | June 1993 | June 1994 | June 1995 | February 1995 | December 1995 | January 1996 | February 1996 |
|---|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| Sydney, selected items— | | | | | | | |
| Structural timber | 128.2 | 135.6 | 130.0 | 131.9 | 120.9 | 119.9 | 120.5 |
| Clay bricks | 96.9 | 101.1 | 105.2 | 103.9 | 104.1 | 104.1 | 104.1 |
| Ready mixed concrete | 91.1 | 98.0 | 101.4 | 100.9 | 100.1 | 99.9 | 97.9 |
| Precast concrete products | 105.0 | 106.0 | 110.5 | 110.5 | 112.7 | 112.8 | 112.6 |
| Steel decking and cladding | 112.7 | 112.4 | 111.0 | 111.4 | 110.9 | 113.7 | 113.4 |
| Structural steel | 109.9 | 108.6 | 108.8 | 107.5 | 111.0 | 110.9 | 110.7 |
| Reinforcing steel bar, fabric and mesh | 121.5 | 120.6 | 118.1 | 118.8 | 121.4 | 120.5 | 120.3 |
| Aluminium windows | 99.0 | 100.2 | 110.1 | 108.8 | 108.9 | 108.9 | 108.9 |
| Fabricated steel products | 105.1 | 104.4 | 107.0 | 106.7 | 108.5 | 109.6 | 109.9 |
| Builders' hardware | 112.2 | 117.9 | 121.7 | 117.3 | 122.3 | 122.3 | 122.4 |
| Sand and aggregate | 113.1 | 115.4 | 116.8 | 116.3 | 113.2 | 113.2 | 113.2 |
| Carpet | 98.7 | 99.2 | 102.2 | 98.9 | 104.6 | 104.6 | 104.6 |
| Paint and other coatings | 123.4 | 122.5 | 124.7 | 123.3 | 121.3 | 121.8 | 126.6 |
| Non-ferrous pipes and fittings | 107.4 | 115.4 | 127.7 | 130.5 | 135.6 | 135.6 | 135.6 |
| Sydney, special combinations— | | | | | | | |
| All electrical materials | 107.9 | 110.7 | 123.2 | 118.8 | 126.0 | 125.3 | 125.3 |
| All mechanical services | 107.6 | 108.9 | 112.3 | 111.5 | 113.9 | 113.7 | 113.7 |
| All plumbing materials | 113.9 | 118.3 | 124.4 | 124.2 | 129.1 | 129.1 | 128.8 |
| All groups excluding electrical materials and mechanical services | 106.2 | 108.2 | 111.1 | 110.2 | 111.5 | 111.6 | 111.3 |
| <i>Sydney, All groups</i> | <i>106.6</i> | <i>108.4</i> | <i>111.9</i> | <i>110.9</i> | <i>112.8</i> | <i>112.7</i> | <i>112.5</i> |
| Six capitals (a), All groups | 106.6 | 108.6 | 111.8 | 110.9 | 112.8 | 112.8 | 112.8 |

(a) Weighted average of six State capital cities.

NOTE: Each of the indexes shown is a separate and distinct price index. The composition of the groups of each index is in accordance with materials usage in the class of building covered by that index. Further information regarding these indexes is published in *Price Index of Materials Used in Building Other Than House Building, Six State Capital Cities* (6407.0) and *Price Index of Materials Used in House Building, Six State Capital Cities* (6408.0).

TABLE 17. MINE PRODUCTION (a) OF PRINCIPAL METALS AND SULPHUR, NSW
(Source: NSW Department of Mineral Resources)

| Period | Copper (tonnes) | Gold (c) (kg) | Lead (tonnes) | Mineral sands | | Silver (c) (kg) | Sulphur (tonnes) | Zinc (tonnes) |
|---------------|--------------------|------------------|------------------|-------------------------------------|---|--------------------|---------------------|------------------|
| | | | | Titanium dioxide (b) (tonnes) | Zircon (ZrSiO ₄) (b) (tonnes) | | | |
| 1992-93 | 54,528 | 7,754 | 221,498 | 51,512 | 44,008 | 269,039 | 313,487 | 323,013 |
| 1993-94 | 58,796 | 7,434 | 216,375 | 40,774 | 34,409 | 235,520 | 307,065 | 331,764 |
| 1994-95 | 67,877 | 8,784 | 211,546 | 37,880 | 31,326 | 231,772 | 305,943 | 331,094 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | | |
| September qtr | 17,847 | 2,357 | 59,082 | 9,812 | 9,508 | 63,696 | 80,710 | 89,066 |
| December qtr | 20,137 | 2,059 | 45,694 | 8,077 | 6,993 | 54,137 | 77,219 | 84,671 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | |
| March qtr | 14,835 | 2,027 | 53,316 | 8,174 | 6,255 | 57,638 | 75,690 | 80,784 |
| June qtr | 15,058 | 2,341 | 53,454 | 11,817 | 8,570 | 56,301 | 72,324 | 76,573 |
| September qtr | 15,775 | 2,361 | 46,523 | 10,554 | 8,386 | 52,572 | 70,851 | 74,614 |
| December qtr | 24,707 | 1,793 | 53,465 | 5,813 | 4,346 | 44,650 | 84,924 | 80,674 |

(a) These are gross contents of metallic minerals produced, as determined by assay, and make no allowance for losses in smelting and refining. The quantities shown are therefore, in general, greater than those actually recoverable. (b) Includes the metallic contents (when finally separated) of zircon-rutile concentrates recovered in NSW and finally separated in Queensland. Excludes the metallic contents of zircon-rutile concentrates recovered in Queensland or imported into Australia and finally separated in NSW. (c) Content of fine metal.

TABLE 18. COAL PRODUCTION IN NSW
(Source: Joint Coal Board)
(^{000 tonnes})

| Period | Raw coal won (a) | | | | | | Output of saleable coal total (b) |
|-----------|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|---------------|----------|---------|---|
| | Northern district | Southern district | Western district | All districts | | | |
| | | | | Underground | Open cut | Total | |
| 1992-93 | 70,520 | 18,143 | 14,251 | 50,419 | 52,495 | 102,914 | 84,211 |
| 1993-94 | 72,693 | 16,217 | 13,045 | 46,791 | 55,164 | 101,955 | 84,014 |
| 1994-95 | 79,110 | 14,648 | 14,445 | 48,838 | 59,365 | 108,203 | 88,100 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | |
| October | 6,157 | 1,300 | 1,302 | 3,736 | 5,023 | 8,759 | 7,000 |
| November | 6,419 | 983 | 1,471 | 3,788 | 5,085 | 8,873 | 6,000 |
| December | 6,520 | 1,181 | 1,245 | 4,069 | 4,877 | 8,946 | 8,300 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | |
| January | 6,096 | 997 | 1,178 | 3,882 | 4,389 | 8,271 | 7,100 |
| February | 6,922 | 1,231 | 1,062 | 4,202 | 5,013 | 9,215 | 7,700 |
| March | 7,006 | 1,323 | 947 | 4,136 | 5,140 | 9,276 | 7,900 |
| April | 5,227 | 966 | 684 | 2,779 | 4,098 | 6,877 | 4,750 |
| May | 7,345 | 1,174 | 1,280 | 4,553 | 5,246 | 9,799 | 8,050 |
| June | 7,137 | 1,299 | 1,203 | 4,431 | 5,208 | 9,639 | 8,300 |
| July | 6,576 | 1,355 | 1,527 | 4,529 | 4,929 | 9,458 | 7,400 |
| August | 8,808 | 1,329 | 1,817 | 5,560 | 6,394 | 11,954 | 8,500 |
| September | 6,732 | 1,255 | 1,435 | 4,852 | 4,570 | 9,422 | 8,686 |
| October | 6,425 | 1,191 | 1,318 | 4,251 | 4,683 | 8,934 | 7,400 |
| November | 7,233 | 1,346 | 1,105 | 4,804 | 4,880 | 9,684 | 8,414 |
| December | 5,284 | 1,286 | 1,123 | 3,768 | 3,925 | 7,693 | 6,200 |

(a) Gross output drawn from the mine, prior to treatment in coal washeries for removal of unwanted material, but excluding dirt and chitter dumped or not otherwise used. (b) Raw coal production less rejects removed at coal industry washeries plus/less unexplained stock adjustments at mines only.

TABLE 19. RECEIVALS OF TAXABLE WOOL (a) BY BROKERS AND DEALERS, NSW (b)
(tonnes, greasy wool basis)

| Period | Wool received by brokers (c) | | | | Wool received by dealers | Total wool receipts |
|-----------|------------------------------|-----------|----------|---------|--------------------------|---------------------|
| | Sydney | Newcastle | Goulburn | Total | | |
| 1992-93 | 135,735 | 38,912 | 21,602 | 196,249 | 50,917 | 247,166 |
| 1993-94 | 118,543 | 32,081 | 18,574 | 169,205 | 36,956 | 206,505 |
| 1994-95 | 100,008 | 28,003 | 18,970 | 146,980 | 29,023 | 175,587 |
| 1994— | | | | | | |
| November | 9,990 | 2,312 | 2,663 | 14,965 | 3,240 | 17,612 |
| December | 5,849 | 1,364 | 1,770 | 8,982 | 2,058 | 11,040 |
| 1995— | | | | | | |
| January | 5,729 | 1,385 | 1,374 | 8,488 | 1,305 | 9,794 |
| February | 7,789 | 1,360 | 849 | 9,998 | 2,135 | 12,293 |
| March | 8,536 | 1,266 | 625 | 10,427 | 2,660 | 13,087 |
| April | 5,794 | 675 | 524 | 6,993 | 1,728 | 8,721 |
| May | 5,783 | 904 | 868 | 7,555 | 1,720 | 9,292 |
| June | 6,003 | 819 | 605 | 7,428 | 1,892 | 9,319 |
| July | 7,419 | 1,738 | 785 | 9,942 | 1,860 | 11,803 |
| August | r10,456 | 3,034 | 1,578 | r15,069 | 2,194 | r17,263 |
| September | r10,957 | 3,036 | 2,194 | r16,186 | 2,572 | r18,759 |
| October | r10,560 | 3,929 | 2,757 | r17,246 | 2,930 | r20,175 |
| November | r9,324 | 2,802 | 2,226 | 14,351 | r2,170 | r16,521 |
| December | 5,029 | 1,350 | r2,052 | r8,432 | r1,620 | r10,052 |
| 1996— | | | | | | |
| January | 6,682 | 1,414 | 1,481 | 9,577 | 1,221 | 10,798 |

(a) Excludes wool received by brokers and dealers on which tax has already been paid by other dealers (private buyers) or brokers. (b) Excludes Albury (regarded as a Victorian selling centre). (c) Relates to data reported by the National Council of Wool Selling Brokers (NCWSB).

TABLE 20. WOOL SALES AT AUCTION (a), NSW (b)

| Period | Wool in store at end of period (tonnes) | Wool sold during period | | | | Amount realised (\$'000) | Average price realised per kg (cents) |
|-----------|---|-------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|----------------|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| | | Sydney (tonnes) | Newcastle (tonnes) | Goulburn (tonnes) | Total (tonnes) | | |
| 1992-93 | 18,378 | 137,190 | 37,404 | 22,909 | 197,500 | 652,778 | 330.52 |
| 1993-94 | 13,601 | 125,755 | 32,018 | 14,860 | 160,370 | 633,331 | 366.43 |
| 1994-95 | 15,407 | 105,256 | 28,166 | 15,907 | 149,329 | 808,280 | 541.27 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | |
| November | 23,567 | 12,830 | 266 | 4,381 | 17,477 | 109,754 | 628.01 |
| December | 22,898 | 5,753 | 3,925 | 298 | 9,977 | 54,040 | 541.67 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | |
| January | 23,402 | 6,352 | 515 | 89 | 6,956 | 39,031 | 561.14 |
| February | 18,902 | 9,253 | 2,179 | 2,602 | 14,033 | 82,866 | 590.50 |
| March | 15,937 | 9,921 | 4,600 | 1,520 | 16,041 | 89,204 | 556.11 |
| April | 15,824 | 6,740 | 738 | 349 | 7,827 | 37,343 | 477.10 |
| May | 17,034 | 5,710 | 524 | 571 | 6,803 | 31,602 | 464.18 |
| June | 15,407 | 7,629 | 1,381 | 786 | 9,796 | 45,345 | 462.88 |
| July | 18,694 | 3,238 | 195 | 130 | 3,562 | 15,038 | 422.15 |
| August | 24,573 | 7,207 | 1,407 | 816 | 9,430 | 42,154 | 447.00 |
| September | 31,919 | 6,266 | 1,745 | 475 | 8,486 | 39,259 | 462.63 |
| October | 37,398 | 8,396 | 1,191 | 2,529 | 12,115 | 53,020 | 437.65 |
| November | 36,206 | 10,240 | 4,216 | 3,041 | 17,496 | 81,148 | 463.81 |
| December | 36,899 | 4,593 | 3,345 | 353 | 8,291 | 35,780 | 431.54 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | |
| January | 39,335 | 6,267 | 558 | 2,519 | 9,344 | 49,613 | 530.99 |

(a) Relates to data reported by the National Council of Wool Selling Brokers (NCWSB). (b) Excludes Albury (regarded as a Victorian selling centre).

TABLE 21. LIVESTOCK SLAUGHTERED (FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION) AND MEAT PRODUCTION, NSW

| Period | Sheep slaughtered (a) (^{'000}) | Mutton produced (b) | | Lambs slaughtered (a) (^{'000}) | Lamb produced (b) | | Cattle (incl. calves) slaughtered (a) (^{'000}) |
|----------------|---|------------------------------------|---|---|------------------------------------|--|--|
| | | Original (tonnes) | Seasonally adjusted (tonnes) | | Original (tonnes) | Seasonally adjusted (tonnes) | |
| 1992-93 | 5,233.6 | 105,819 | .. | 4,140.2 | 72,608 | .. | 2,282.3 |
| 1993-94 | 6,066.9 | 127,582 | .. | 3,991.7 | 69,246 | .. | 2,209.3 |
| 1994-95 | 6,577.8 | 131,052 | .. | 4,133.7 | 71,738 | .. | 2,299.3 |
| July-February— | | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 4,567.8 | 92,288 | .. | 48,851 | 2,856.3 | .. | 1,524.5 |
| 1995-96 | 3,693.8 | 79,538 | .. | 41,890 | 2,301.9 | .. | 1,439.9 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | |
| December | 537.6 | 10,976 | 10,983 | 276.1 | 4,546 | 5,157 | 166.9 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | |
| January | 534.4 | 10,742 | 10,207 | 413.3 | 5,475 | 5,833 | 167.0 |
| February | 488.9 | 9,366 | 8,488 | 292.1 | 5,085 | 5,448 | 167.5 |
| March | 560.6 | 10,960 | 8,742 | 352.0 | 6,466 | 6,174 | 204.1 |
| April | 457.5 | 8,894 | 10,146 | 318.6 | 5,632 | 6,294 | 169.7 |
| May | 557.6 | 10,509 | 10,871 | 337.7 | 5,971 | 5,367 | 211.5 |
| June | 434.3 | 8,400 | 10,839 | 269.2 | 4,818 | 4,847 | 189.5 |
| July | 452.8 | 9,155 | 11,001 | 274.3 | 4,955 | 4,966 | 168.8 |
| August | 437.3 | 9,000 | 9,892 | 324.1 | 5,845 | 5,287 | 195.8 |
| September | 434.3 | 9,267 | 9,204 | 306.5 | 5,519 | 5,422 | 177.3 |
| October | 524.5 | 11,505 | 10,842 | 308.9 | 5,612 | 5,287 | 173.8 |
| November | 410.2 | 8,986 | 7,808 | 279.3 | 5,033 | 4,993 | 192.8 |
| December | 398.0 | 8,863 | 9,213 | 240.2 | 4,437 | 5,218 | 150.2 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | |
| January | 503.1 | 11,476 | 10,303 | 284.1 | 5,240 | 5,186 | 184.1 |
| February | 533.2 | 11,287 | 9,838 | 284.6 | 5,248 | 5,428 | 197.2 |
| Period | Beef and veal produced (b) | | | Pig meats produced (b)(c) | | Chickens slaughtered (d) (^{'000}) | Dressed weight of chickens (d)(e) (tonnes) |
| | Original (tonnes) | Seasonally adjusted (tonnes) | Pigs slaughtered (a) (^{'000}) | Original (tonnes) | Seasonally adjusted (tonnes) | | |
| 1992-93 | 487,761 | .. | 1,480.5 | 94,760 | .. | 117,086 | 176,465 |
| 1993-94 | 483,938 | .. | 1,490.9 | 98,606 | .. | 129,735 | 193,137 |
| 1994-95 | 487,860 | .. | 1,505.4 | 102,175 | .. | 133,800 | 199,491 |
| July-February— | | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 325,325 | .. | 988.6 | 64,449 | .. | 89,520 | 133,699 |
| 1995-96 | 308,218 | .. | 951.1 | 64,127 | .. | 88,961 | 132,068 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | |
| December | 35,900 | 37,979 | 142.6 | 8,792 | 8,427 | 13,107 | 19,183 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | |
| January | 35,455 | 37,647 | 110.0 | 7,143 | 8,491 | 10,616 | 16,168 |
| February | 35,554 | 36,683 | 114.4 | 7,254 | 8,014 | 10,821 | 16,211 |
| March | 43,782 | 38,961 | 131.8 | 9,617 | 8,457 | 12,386 | 19,072 |
| April | 36,125 | 40,074 | 113.0 | 8,320 | 9,170 | 10,444 | 15,352 |
| May | 44,213 | 41,454 | 132.8 | 10,139 | 9,229 | 10,389 | 15,342 |
| June | 38,415 | 40,358 | 139.4 | 9,650 | 8,916 | 11,051 | 16,026 |
| July | 35,466 | 41,664 | 117.9 | 8,173 | 8,627 | 11,164 | 16,385 |
| August | 40,918 | 39,459 | 120.2 | 9,208 | 8,862 | 10,754 | 15,976 |
| September | 37,455 | 36,706 | 127.0 | 8,399 | 8,304 | 11,332 | 16,867 |
| October | 35,909 | 35,655 | 114.1 | 7,747 | 8,115 | 10,538 | 15,394 |
| November | 42,560 | 35,757 | 118.1 | 7,953 | 7,631 | 11,271 | 16,452 |
| December | 32,889 | 36,814 | 138.0 | 8,695 | 8,679 | 11,826 | 17,819 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | |
| January | 39,463 | 39,352 | 108.5 | 6,986 | 7,736 | 10,904 | 16,364 |
| February | 43,559 | 42,523 | 107.3 | 6,965 | 7,338 | 11,172 | 16,810 |

(a) Includes livestock slaughtered on farms. (b) 'Bone-in' weight basis. Includes meat produced on farms. (c) Includes meats later converted to bacon and ham.
(d) Comprises broilers, fryers, or roasters. (e) Dressed weight of birds, pieces and giblets, as reported by individual producers.

TABLE 22. PRODUCTION OF FOOD PRODUCTS, NSW

| Period | Whole milk (a)(b) | | Butter (b)(c) (tonnes) | Cheese (b) (tonnes) | Wheat flour (other than self raising) (tonnes) | Confectionery | |
|----------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|---|-----------------------|-------------------|
| | Original (mill. L) | Seasonally adjusted (mill. L) | | | | Chocolate (tonnes) | Other (tonnes) |
| 1992-93 | 997 | .. | 3,377 | 16,919 | 617,887 | 18,321 | 25,053 |
| 1993-94 | 1,098 | .. | 4,598 | 19,163 | 671,044 | 19,081 | 24,519 |
| 1994-95 | 1,087 | .. | 4,627 | 16,122 | 699,948 | 17,841 | 23,510 |
| July-December— | | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 378 | .. | 1,776 | 5,752 | 236,196 | 6,584 | 8,947 |
| 1995-96 | 584 | .. | 2,413 | 10,330 | 371,413 | 8,193 | 12,116 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | |
| October | 101 | 89 | 438 | 1,795 | 57,994 | 1,380 | 2,078 |
| November | 96 | 89 | 394 | 1,783 | 63,632 | 1,633 | 2,315 |
| December | 96 | 89 | 325 | 1,624 | 55,698 | 1,235 | 1,899 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | |
| January | 97 | 91 | 465 | 1,611 | 51,106 | 1,081 | 1,021 |
| February | 86 | 94 | 325 | 1,383 | 54,154 | 1,417 | 1,777 |
| March | 89 | 92 | 393 | 1,317 | 59,230 | 1,746 | 1,840 |
| April | 81 | 91 | 357 | 894 | 52,362 | 1,159 | 1,539 |
| May | 82 | 89 | 261 | 918 | 61,801 | 1,383 | 1,930 |
| June | 82 | 91 | 331 | 1,066 | 65,769 | 1,600 | 2,241 |
| July | 87 | 92 | 247 | 1,157 | 56,674 | 1,257 | 2,037 |
| August | 92 | 91 | 253 | 1,294 | 63,966 | 1,580 | 2,100 |
| September | 97 | 91 | 373 | 1,861 | 63,303 | 1,308 | 2,061 |
| October | 105 | 92 | 442 | 2,055 | 59,574 | 1,339 | 1,956 |
| November | 100 | 93 | 539 | 2,024 | 65,053 | 1,583 | 2,218 |
| December | 103 | 95 | 559 | 1,939 | 62,843 | 1,126 | 1,744 |

(a) Intake by factories. (b) Source: Australian Dairy Corporation. (c) Includes direct butter-oil production.

TABLE 23. PRODUCTION OF TEXTILES, CLOTHING AND FOOTWEAR, NSW

| Period | Woven fabric (a) | | Men's and boys' clothing (b) | | | Footwear (e) | | |
|----------------|----------------------------------|--|----------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---------------------------------------|
| | Cotton (⁰⁰⁰ sq m) | Man-made fibres (⁰⁰⁰ sq m) | Shirts (⁰⁰⁰) (c) | Sports coats and blazers (number) | Long trousers (number) (d) | Men's (f) (⁰⁰⁰ pairs) | Women's (f) (⁰⁰⁰ pairs) | Children's (⁰⁰⁰ pairs) |
| 1992-93 | 10,597 | 71,116 | 6,437 | 66,557 | 579,912 | 1,448 | 2,334 | 447 |
| 1993-94 | 14,345 | 72,241 | 5,266 | 59,353 | 484,453 | 1,687 | 2,398 | 278 |
| 1994-95 | 15,288 | 75,125 | 5,088 | 51,475 | 467,356 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| July-December— | | | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 5,600 | 27,319 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | 505 | 752 | 138 |
| 1995-96 | n.p. | 35,946 | 2,470 | n.p. | n.p. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| 1994— | | | | | | | | |
| October | 1,360 | 6,835 | 1,308 | 12,822 | 127,368 | 125 | 148 | 38 |
| November | 1,277 | 7,314 | | | | 151 | 147 | 39 |
| December | 1,205 | 5,518 | | | | 97 | 113 | 33 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | |
| January | 577 | 4,684 | 1,040 | 13,416 | 114,692 | 57 | 85 | 27 |
| February | 1,162 | 6,366 | | | | 88 | 166 | 33 |
| March | 1,706 | 6,959 | | | | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| April | 1,056 | 4,675 | 1,111 | 14,280 | 130,475 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| May | 1,245 | 6,275 | | | | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| June | 1,460 | 6,015 | | | | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| July | 1,257 | 6,036 | 1,209 | n.p. | n.p. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| August | 1,229 | 6,454 | | | | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| September | n.p. | 6,696 | | | | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| October | n.p. | 5,941 | 1,261 | n.p. | n.p. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| November | n.p. | 7,435 | | | | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| December | n.p. | 3,384 | | | | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |

(a) Mixtures are included with the predominant fibre. (b) From October 1994, this data is available on a quarterly basis only. (c) Includes knitted and woven fabric. Excludes sweatshirts and nightshirts. (d) Excludes jeans and waterproof type, trousers for uniforms, work trousers and suit trousers if part of complete suits. (e) Excludes thongs, waterproof and sports footwear. (f) Refers to size 2 second series and above.

NOTE: Monthly data for the production items shown in the tables are collected quarterly and published on a three-monthly cycle basis.

TABLE 24. PRODUCTION OF PLASTICS AND BUILDING MATERIALS, NSW

| Period | Plastics in primary forms (a) (tonnes) | Sydney Statistical Division ('000) | Bricks, clay (b) | | Tiles, roofing (Terra cotta and concrete) (c)(d) ('000 sq m) | Concrete blocks, bricks and pavers (tonnes) |
|----------------|---|--|---------------------|-----------------------------------|---|---|
| | | | New South Wales (c) | | | |
| | | | Original ('000) | Seasonally adjusted ('000) | | |
| 1992-93 | 282,968 | 487,019 | 676,928 | .. | 8,821 | 486,089 |
| 1993-94 | 299,014 | 540,342 | 710,936 | .. | 8,563 | 551,742 |
| 1994-95 | 341,128 | n.a. | 745,660 | .. | n.a. | n.a. |
| July-December— | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 118,328 | 197,833 | 255,153 | .. | 3,110 | 212,811 |
| 1995-96 | 195,377 | n.a. | 344,802 | . | n.a | n.a. |
| 1994— | | | | | | |
| October | 31,412 | 46,854 | 60,939 | 62,079 | 694 | 55,872 |
| November | 30,660 | 51,911 | 66,261 | 60,301 | 750 | 60,893 |
| December | 27,475 | 45,308 | 57,641 | 63,887 | 316 | 43,702 |
| 1995— | | | | | | |
| January | 28,911 | 42,186 | 52,500 | 73,079 | 213 | 38,973 |
| February | 25,985 | 46,069 | 59,349 | 62,667 | 809 | 53,777 |
| March | 31,228 | n.a. | 63,300 | 56,905 | n.a. | n.a. |
| April | 25,960 | n.a. | 54,574 | 61,434 | n.a. | n.a. |
| May | 24,508 | n.a. | 72,504 | 61,636 | n.a. | n.a. |
| June | 28,073 | n.a. | 64,378 | 64,844 | n.a. | n.a. |
| July | 34,163 | n.a. | 61,021 | 60,317 | n.a. | n.a. |
| August | 32,299 | n.a. | 59,910 | 52,434 | n.a. | n.a. |
| September | 29,855 | n.a. | 58,154 | 57,377 | n.a. | n.a. |
| October | 35,004 | n.a. | 62,117 | 59,949 | n.a. | n.a. |
| November | 33,384 | n.a. | 55,498 | 52,632 | n.a. | n.a. |
| December | 30,672 | n.a. | 48,102 | 55,063 | n.a. | n.a. |

(a) Dry weight. (b) For structural purposes. (c) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (d) Flat surface measure.

TABLE 25. PRODUCTION OF ELECTRICITY AND GAS, NSW

| Period | Electricity | | Gas, mains (a) | |
|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Original (mill. kWh) | Seasonally adjusted (mill. kWh) | Original (mill. MJ) | Seasonally adjusted (mill. MJ) |
| 1992-93 | 57,794 | .. | 96,215 | .. |
| 1993-94 | 57,792 | .. | 97,987 | .. |
| 1994-95 | 60,016 | .. | 104,881 | .. |
| July-December— | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 20,626 | .. | 39,082 | .. |
| 1995-96 | 31,559 | .. | 54,875 | .. |
| 1994— | | | | |
| October | 4,764 | 4,939 | 8,578 | 8,652 |
| November | 4,721 | 5,018 | 8,086 | 8,448 |
| December | 4,846 | 5,087 | 7,323 | 8,507 |
| 1995 | | | | |
| January | 4,770 | 5,003 | 7,194 | 8,803 |
| February | 4,546 | 5,001 | 6,916 | 8,152 |
| March | 4,926 | 5,113 | 8,077 | 8,465 |
| April | 4,705 | 5,120 | 8,336 | 9,102 |
| May | 5,278 | 5,027 | 9,440 | 8,731 |
| June | 5,598 | 4,949 | 10,425 | 9,185 |
| July | 5,913 | 5,333 | 11,364 | 9,535 |
| August | 5,520 | 4,975 | 10,301 | 8,665 |
| September | 5,095 | 5,138 | 9,452 | 8,893 |
| October | 5,063 | 5,248 | 8,637 | 8,752 |
| November | 4,981 | 5,257 | 8,073 | 8,464 |
| December | 4,987 | 5,335 | 7,048 | 8,326 |

(a) Includes Australian Capital Territory.

TABLE 26. NUMBER OF NEW DWELLING UNITS (a) IN NSW: CLASSIFIED BY STAGE OF CONSTRUCTION

| Period | Total | | | | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|----------------|---------|---------------------------------|---------|----------------|---------------------|----------|---------------------|
| | Houses | | Other residential buildings (b) | | Private sector | | Total | |
| | Private sector | Total | Private sector | Total | Original | Seasonally adjusted | Original | Seasonally adjusted |
| COMMENCED | | | | | | | | |
| 1992-93 | 26,554 | 27,397 | 14,225 | 17,064 | 40,779 | .. | 44,461 | .. |
| 1993-94 | 28,547 | 29,162 | 16,385 | 18,019 | 44,932 | .. | 47,181 | .. |
| 1994-95 | 27,747 | 28,222 | 21,513 | 23,271 | 49,260 | .. | 51,493 | .. |
| 1994— | | | | | | | | |
| September qtr | 8,072 | 8,256 | 5,948 | 6,482 | 14,020 | r13,398 | 14,738 | r13,916 |
| December qtr | 7,382 | 7,486 | 5,523 | 5,762 | 12,905 | r12,290 | 13,248 | r12,831 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | |
| March qtr | 6,090 | 6,137 | 4,922 | 5,204 | 11,012 | r12,293 | 11,341 | r12,735 |
| June qtr | 6,203 | 6,343 | 5,120 | 5,823 | 11,323 | r11,225 | 12,166 | r11,938 |
| September qtr | r6,036 | r6,111 | r4,430 | r5,057 | r10,466 | r10,010 | r11,168 | r10,554 |
| December qtr | 5,590 | 5,751 | 3,307 | 3,497 | 8,897 | 8,476 | 9,248 | 8,962 |
| UNDER CONSTRUCTION AT END OF PERIOD | | | | | | | | |
| 1992-93 | 15,326 | 15,716 | 10,377 | 12,198 | 25,703 | .. | 27,914 | .. |
| 1993-94 | 15,727 | 15,925 | 11,762 | 12,692 | 27,489 | .. | 28,617 | .. |
| 1994-95 | 14,214 | 14,334 | 16,019 | 17,079 | 30,233 | .. | 31,413 | .. |
| 1994— | | | | | | | | |
| September qtr | 16,185 | 16,437 | 13,593 | 14,758 | 29,778 | n.a. | 31,195 | r30,540 |
| December qtr | 15,158 | 15,279 | 15,171 | 16,061 | 30,329 | n.a. | 31,340 | r31,853 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | |
| March qtr | 14,853 | 14,952 | 16,426 | 17,299 | 31,279 | n.a. | 32,251 | r32,680 |
| June qtr | 14,214 | 14,334 | 16,019 | 17,079 | 30,233 | n.a. | 31,413 | r31,172 |
| September qtr | r13,087 | r13,192 | r15,418 | r16,776 | r28,505 | n.a. | r29,968 | r29,325 |
| December qtr | 12,105 | 12,306 | 13,897 | 14,991 | 26,002 | n.a. | 27,297 | 27,753 |
| COMPLETED | | | | | | | | |
| 1992-93 | 26,519 | 27,182 | 12,548 | 15,840 | 39,067 | .. | 43,022 | .. |
| 1993-94 | 27,823 | 28,630 | 14,709 | 17,230 | 42,532 | .. | 45,860 | .. |
| 1994-95 | 28,746 | 29,295 | 16,455 | 18,054 | 45,201 | .. | 47,349 | .. |
| 1994— | | | | | | | | |
| September qtr | 7,535 | 7,666 | 4,057 | 4,356 | 11,592 | r11,837 | 12,022 | r11,874 |
| December qtr | 8,326 | 8,561 | 3,862 | 4,347 | 12,188 | r10,869 | 12,908 | r11,408 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | |
| March qtr | 6,177 | 6,241 | 3,420 | 3,719 | 9,597 | r10,507 | 9,960 | r10,983 |
| June qtr | 6,707 | 6,826 | 5,116 | 5,632 | 11,823 | r11,995 | 12,458 | r13,150 |
| September qtr | r7,091 | r7,181 | r4,919 | r5,248 | r12,010 | r12,267 | r12,429 | r12,245 |
| December qtr | 6,552 | 6,617 | 4,791 | 5,245 | 11,343 | 10,098 | 11,862 | 10,483 |

(a) Comprises new houses and dwelling units in new other residential buildings. Dwelling units which result from conversions of existing buildings into residential buildings are not included. (b) The classification 'Other residential buildings' includes flats (including home units), semi-detached cottages, villa units, town houses and similar types of residential buildings.

TABLE 27. NUMBER OF DWELLING UNITS (a) APPROVED IN NSW

| Period | New houses | | New other residential building | | Conversions etc. | Total (a) | | Total |
|----------------|----------------|---------------|--------------------------------|---------------|------------------|----------------|---------------|--------|
| | Private sector | Public sector | Private sector | Public sector | | Private sector | Public sector | |
| 1992-93 | 28,653 | 869 | 16,308 | 2,667 | 1,365 | 46,318 | 3,544 | 49,862 |
| 1993-94 | 30,051 | 561 | 17,744 | 1,554 | 2,453 | 50,234 | 2,129 | 52,363 |
| 1994-95 | 28,578 | 423 | 21,979 | 1,811 | 2,073 | 52,604 | 2,260 | 54,864 |
| July-February— | | | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 20,083 | 268 | 15,462 | 887 | 1,550 | 37,084 | 1,166 | 38,250 |
| 1995-96 | 16,155 | 286 | 10,856 | 857 | 497 | 27,504 | 1,147 | 28,651 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | | |
| December | 2,029 | 11 | 1,946 | 113 | 104 | 4,079 | 124 | 4,203 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | |
| January | 2,041 | 17 | 1,527 | 161 | 134 | 3,694 | 186 | 3,880 |
| February | 1,998 | 30 | 1,755 | 60 | 150 | 3,903 | 90 | 3,993 |
| March | 2,100 | 58 | 1,841 | 107 | 61 | 4,002 | 165 | 4,167 |
| April | 1,802 | 27 | 1,410 | 251 | 259 | 3,471 | 278 | 3,749 |
| May | 2,526 | 38 | 2,073 | 327 | 85 | 4,677 | 372 | 5,049 |
| June | 2,067 | 32 | 1,193 | 239 | 118 | 3,370 | 279 | 3,649 |
| July | 2,132 | 10 | 2,049 | 174 | 73 | 4,254 | 184 | 4,438 |
| August | 2,264 | 32 | 1,236 | 249 | 53 | 3,553 | 281 | 3,834 |
| September | 2,205 | 81 | 1,427 | 56 | 99 | 3,731 | 137 | 3,868 |
| October | 1,992 | 34 | 1,380 | 75 | 63 | 3,435 | 109 | 3,544 |
| November | 2,164 | 49 | 1,472 | 14 | 88 | 3,724 | 63 | 3,787 |
| December | 1,707 | 26 | 1,095 | 69 | 26 | 2,828 | 95 | 2,923 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | | |
| January | 1,702 | 41 | 964 | 139 | 50 | 2,716 | 180 | 2,896 |
| February | 1,989 | 13 | 1,233 | 81 | 45 | 3,263 | 98 | 3,361 |

(a) Includes dwelling units approved as part of the construction of non-residential building and alterations and additions to existing buildings (including conversions to dwelling units).

TABLE 28. VALUE OF RESIDENTIAL AND NON-RESIDENTIAL BUILDING APPROVED IN NSW (\$ million)

| Period | New residential buildings | | Alterations and additions (a) to residential buildings | Total residential building | Non-residential building (b) | | Total all building |
|----------------|---------------------------|---------|--|----------------------------|------------------------------|---------|--------------------|
| | Private sector | Total | | | Private sector | Total | |
| 1992-93 | 4,369.5 | 4,632.2 | 965.0 | 5,597.2 | 2,126.4 | 3,178.2 | 8,775.4 |
| 1993-94 | 4,489.9 | 4,643.1 | 1,043.1 | 5,686.1 | 1,895.6 | 2,884.1 | 8,570.2 |
| 1994-95 | 5,208.3 | 5,376.6 | 1,101.0 | 6,477.6 | 2,812.5 | 3,733.4 | 10,211.0 |
| July-February— | | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 3,632.5 | 3,717.5 | 743.3 | 4,460.8 | 1,406.7 | 2,133.4 | 6,594.2 |
| 1995-96 | 2,972.3 | 3,063.6 | 686.8 | 3,750.4 | 1,973.7 | 2,566.9 | 6,317.4 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | |
| December | 408.8 | 418.9 | 72.3 | 491.2 | 198.2 | 238.4 | 729.6 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | |
| January | 363.5 | 373.1 | 70.5 | 443.6 | 146.1 | 209.3 | 652.9 |
| February | 352.9 | 359.0 | 76.1 | 435.1 | 161.6 | 363.7 | 798.8 |
| March | 449.4 | 461.2 | 78.7 | 539.9 | 167.9 | 258.5 | 798.4 |
| April | 316.7 | 340.0 | 99.6 | 439.6 | 695.1 | 724.5 | 1,164.0 |
| May | 478.7 | 505.7 | 94.6 | 600.3 | 280.5 | 313.2 | 913.5 |
| June | 331.0 | 352.3 | 84.7 | 437.0 | 262.3 | 303.9 | 740.9 |
| July | 407.4 | 423.5 | 84.7 | 508.2 | 332.1 | 373.2 | 881.3 |
| August | 367.4 | 384.8 | 90.8 | 475.6 | 418.3 | 481.0 | 956.6 |
| September | 390.5 | 403.8 | 95.3 | 499.1 | 219.3 | 255.6 | 754.6 |
| October | 369.6 | 378.4 | 86.3 | 464.7 | 271.1 | 431.9 | 896.5 |
| November | 401.1 | 406.5 | 95.1 | 501.6 | 200.7 | 310.3 | 812.0 |
| December | 290.5 | 297.3 | 73.2 | 370.5 | 190.3 | 219.9 | 590.4 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | |
| January | 272.3 | 287.9 | 82.1 | 370.0 | 240.9 | 281.9 | 651.9 |
| February | 313.6 | 321.5 | 79.4 | 400.9 | 260.9 | 373.1 | 774.0 |

(a) Valued at \$10,000 or more. Includes conversions of existing buildings into residential buildings. (b) Valued at \$50,000 or more.

TABLE 29. VALUE OF BUILDING WORK COMPLETED IN NSW
(\$ million)

| Period | New residential buildings (a) | | Total | Alterations and additions (c) to residential buildings | Total residential building | Non-residential building | Total all building |
|---------------|-------------------------------|-----------|----------|--|----------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|
| | Houses | Other (b) | | | | | |
| 1992-93 | 2,826.4 | 1,332.8 | 4,159.1 | 964.9 | 5,124.0 | 4,012.5 | 9,136.6 |
| 1993-94 | 3,014.7 | 1,405.7 | 4,420.4 | 1,018.5 | 5,438.9 | 3,777.5 | 9,216.4 |
| 1994-95 | 3,168.8 | 1,608.8 | 4,777.6 | 1,081.7 | 5,859.3 | 3,117.1 | 8,976.4 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | |
| September qtr | 821.3 | 364.0 | 1,185.3 | 253.0 | 1,438.3 | 1,032.7 | 2,471.0 |
| December qtr | 922.3 | 348.3 | 1,270.6 | 304.3 | 1,574.9 | 914.1 | 2,489.0 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | |
| March qtr | 692.6 | 327.6 | 1,020.1 | 245.7 | 1,265.8 | 582.0 | 1,847.7 |
| June qtr | 732.7 | 568.9 | 1,301.6 | 278.7 | 1,580.3 | 588.3 | 2,168.6 |
| September qtr | r823.2 | r521.9 | r1,345.0 | r390.5 | r1,735.5 | r828.5 | r2,564.0 |
| December qtr | 833.7 | 551.4 | 1,385.2 | 316.8 | 1,702.0 | 1,199.0 | 2,900.9 |

(a) Conversions of existing buildings into residential buildings are not included. (b) The classification 'New residential buildings—Other' includes flats (including home units) and semi-detached cottages, villa units, town houses, and similar types of residential buildings. (c) Valued at \$10,000 or more. Includes conversions of existing buildings into residential buildings.

TABLE 30. VALUE OF BUILDING WORK DONE IN NSW, SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
(\$ million)

| Period | New residential buildings | | Non-residential building | | Total all building (a) | |
|---------------|---------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------|---------------------|------------------------|---------------------|
| | Original | Seasonally adjusted | Original | Seasonally adjusted | Original | Seasonally adjusted |
| 1992-93 | 4,254.1 | .. | 3,450.0 | .. | 8,695.0 | .. |
| 1993-94 | 4,558.6 | .. | 3,203.2 | .. | 8,817.2 | .. |
| 1994-95 | 5,140.7 | .. | 3,343.3 | .. | 9,691.3 | .. |
| 1994— | | | | | | |
| September qtr | 1,279.7 | r1,236.1 | 780.3 | r771.1 | 2,369.7 | r2,305.4 |
| December qtr | 1,365.6 | r1,296.0 | 812.5 | r775.1 | 2,534.0 | r2,404.9 |
| 1995— | | | | | | |
| March qtr | 1,186.2 | r1,286.3 | 749.1 | r810.5 | 2,178.3 | r2,389.1 |
| June qtr | 1,309.2 | r1,324.7 | 1,001.4 | r985.0 | 2,609.3 | r2,590.2 |
| September qtr | r1,326.9 | r1,279.4 | r1,045.6 | r1,035.4 | r2,673.6 | r2,603.8 |
| December qtr | 1,217.7 | 1,156.6 | 1,000.8 | 955.2 | 2,517.6 | 2,388.9 |

(a) Includes alterations and additions to residential buildings (valued at \$10,000 or more) which are not included elsewhere in this table.

TABLE 31. VALUE OF BUILDING (a) APPROVED IN AREAS OF NSW, BY CLASS OF BUILDING—continued
(*\$'000*)

| <i>Period</i> | <i>Residential building (b)</i> | <i>Shops</i> | <i>Factories</i> | <i>Offices</i> | <i>Educational</i> | <i>Other classes</i> | <i>Total all classes</i> |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|------------------|----------------|--------------------|----------------------|--------------------------|
| ILLAWARRA STATISTICAL DIVISION | | | | | | | |
| 1992-93 | 387,139 | 14,650 | 17,276 | 19,282 | 25,474 | 37,543 | 501,365 |
| 1993-94 | 386,494 | 9,078 | 21,528 | 18,335 | 15,260 | 37,918 | 488,612 |
| 1994-95 | 386,254 | 13,469 | 20,395 | 18,985 | 17,464 | 39,636 | 496,203 |
| <i>July-February—</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 267,217 | 11,316 | 16,317 | 16,855 | 15,843 | 29,711 | 357,259 |
| 1995-96 | 241,621 | 13,137 | 9,361 | 4,637 | 11,232 | 65,164 | 345,153 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | | |
| December | 26,799 | 70 | 822 | 930 | — | 1,699 | 30,320 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | | |
| January | 32,260 | 1,156 | 2,370 | 2,540 | 250 | 10,565 | 49,141 |
| February | 25,190 | 786 | 116 | — | 505 | 1,186 | 27,783 |
| March | 30,043 | 515 | 358 | 330 | 235 | 3,344 | 34,825 |
| April | 24,471 | 250 | 703 | 838 | 517 | 1,325 | 28,103 |
| May | 39,933 | 1,118 | 2,183 | 655 | 820 | 3,834 | 48,543 |
| June | 24,590 | 270 | 834 | 308 | 50 | 1,422 | 27,474 |
| July | 30,882 | 582 | 783 | 155 | 1,020 | 1,375 | 34,797 |
| August | 33,529 | 364 | 664 | 80 | 112 | 7,605 | 42,353 |
| September | 32,712 | 612 | 496 | 260 | — | 2,856 | 36,936 |
| October | 30,865 | 1,835 | 4,380 | 670 | 50 | 5,062 | 42,861 |
| November | 25,747 | 2,525 | 871 | 881 | 760 | 36,658 | 67,443 |
| December | 24,141 | 375 | 242 | — | 259 | 4,450 | 29,467 |
| <i>1996—</i> | | | | | | | |
| January | 22,656 | 5,090 | 1,030 | 1,523 | — | 1,850 | 32,149 |
| February | 41,088 | 1,755 | 895 | 1,069 | 9,031 | 5,308 | 59,147 |
| NEW SOUTH WALES | | | | | | | |
| 1992-93 | 5,597,188 | 399,123 | 283,155 | 676,502 | 424,749 | 1,394,700 | 8,775,417 |
| 1993-94 | 5,686,144 | 322,573 | 294,026 | 571,435 | 428,460 | 1,267,589 | 8,570,228 |
| 1994-95 | 6,477,575 | 606,974 | 389,534 | 505,181 | 336,907 | 1,894,779 | 10,210,950 |
| <i>July-February—</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 4,460,797 | 408,126 | 203,219 | 318,239 | 252,324 | 951,480 | 6,594,185 |
| 1995-96 | 3,750,483 | 443,509 | 269,242 | 457,460 | 269,339 | 1,127,323 | 6,317,355 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | | |
| December | 491,185 | 33,574 | 19,745 | 30,731 | 47,428 | 106,939 | 729,601 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | | |
| January | 443,536 | 32,278 | 19,319 | 49,297 | 27,195 | 81,248 | 652,874 |
| February | 435,125 | 41,972 | 20,389 | 45,893 | 37,744 | 217,684 | 798,808 |
| March | 539,945 | 28,660 | 22,184 | 59,874 | 26,707 | 121,035 | 798,406 |
| April | 439,553 | 75,411 | 14,218 | 29,753 | 12,679 | 592,427 | 1,164,042 |
| May | 600,308 | 35,540 | 102,190 | 50,166 | 25,960 | 99,311 | 913,476 |
| June | 436,994 | 59,236 | 47,722 | 47,150 | 19,238 | 130,525 | 740,866 |
| July | 508,136 | 30,518 | 22,473 | 21,557 | 18,089 | 280,564 | 881,337 |
| August | 475,587 | 143,837 | 23,038 | 69,519 | 30,233 | 214,379 | 956,595 |
| September | 499,067 | 57,969 | 38,872 | 46,602 | 39,044 | 73,076 | 754,631 |
| October | 464,654 | 32,415 | 29,843 | 125,454 | 7,553 | 236,606 | 896,526 |
| November | 501,682 | 35,371 | 43,808 | 59,234 | 40,820 | 131,057 | 811,971 |
| December | 370,465 | 32,834 | 52,395 | 31,607 | 40,651 | 62,453 | 590,405 |
| <i>1996—</i> | | | | | | | |
| January | 370,053 | 60,676 | 19,699 | 31,999 | 43,366 | 126,139 | 651,931 |
| February | 400,838 | 49,887 | 39,114 | 71,488 | 49,583 | 163,048 | 773,959 |

(a) Comprises all new residential buildings and alterations and additions to residential buildings valued at \$10,000 or more and all non-residential buildings valued at \$50,000 or more. (b) Includes new houses, new other residential buildings, alterations and additions to residential buildings (valued at \$10,000 or more), and conversions of existing buildings into residential buildings (valued at \$10,000 or more).

TABLE 32. SECURED HOUSING FINANCE COMMITMENTS TO INDIVIDUALS IN NSW FOR OWNER OCCUPATION
(\$ million)

| Purpose of commitments | | | | | | | |
|--|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---|---|
| Lending commitments for the construction or purchase of dwelling (a) | | | | | | Lending commitments for alterations and additions | Total, lending commitments to individuals for housing (b) |
| Period | Construction of dwellings | Purchase of newly erected dwellings | Purchase of established dwellings | Total dwellings | | | |
| | | | | Houses | Other dwellings | | |
| 1992-93 | 1,612 | 570 | 8,539 | 9,551 | 1,170 | 650 | 12,958 |
| 1993-94 | 2,151 | 839 | 10,921 | 12,264 | 1,646 | 1,078 | 17,317 |
| 1994-95 | 2,127 | 856 | 9,950 | 11,089 | 1,843 | 1,242 | 16,553 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | |
| November | 185 | 78 | 900 | 986 | 177 | 115 | 1,487 |
| December | 163 | 67 | 756 | 851 | 135 | 98 | 1,265 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | |
| January | 120 | 54 | 558 | 630 | 103 | 86 | 959 |
| February | 158 | 65 | 783 | 861 | 145 | 111 | 1,308 |
| March | 193 | 75 | 948 | 1,044 | 171 | 127 | 1,577 |
| April | 147 | 60 | 723 | 793 | 138 | 95 | 1,193 |
| May | 182 | 78 | 934 | 1,034 | 159 | 105 | 1,526 |
| June | 176 | 74 | 935 | 1,019 | 166 | 111 | 1,581 |
| July | 182 | 66 | 813 | 915 | 147 | 88 | 1,400 |
| August | 180 | 70 | 839 | 937 | 152 | 97 | 1,412 |
| September | 159 | 66 | 798 | 886 | 136 | 104 | 1,348 |
| October | 137 | 72 | 828 | 889 | 148 | 102 | 1,368 |
| November | 159 | 72 | 935 | 1,003 | 163 | 113 | 1,543 |
| December | 120 | 63 | 743 | 796 | 129 | 92 | 1,207 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | |
| January | 113 | 60 | 678 | 731 | 120 | 90 | 1,128 |
| Type of lender (b) | | | | | | | |
| Period | Banks | Permanent building societies | Other | Total | | | |
| 1992-93 | 12,234 | 390 | 334 | 12,958 | | | |
| 1993-94 | 16,364 | 607 | 346 | 17,317 | | | |
| 1994-95 | 14,370 | 676 | 1,508 | 16,553 | | | |
| 1994— | | | | | | | |
| November | 1,285 | 61 | 141 | 1,487 | | | |
| December | 1,119 | 43 | 102 | 1,265 | | | |
| 1995— | | | | | | | |
| January | 822 | 39 | 98 | 959 | | | |
| February | 1,090 | 53 | 165 | 1,308 | | | |
| March | 1,328 | 54 | 196 | 1,577 | | | |
| April | 1,004 | 46 | 144 | 1,193 | | | |
| May | 1,324 | 63 | 138 | 1,526 | | | |
| June | 1,337 | 62 | 185 | 1,585 | | | |
| July | 1,218 | 60 | 122 | 1,400 | | | |
| August | 1,216 | 63 | 133 | 1,412 | | | |
| September | 1,158 | 62 | 129 | 1,348 | | | |
| October | 1,154 | 70 | 144 | 1,368 | | | |
| November | 1,302 | 91 | 150 | 1,543 | | | |
| December | 1,021 | 78 | 108 | 1,207 | | | |
| 1996— | | | | | | | |
| January | 949 | 72 | 107 | 1,128 | | | |

(a) Excludes refinancing. (b) Includes refinancing.

TABLE 33. NEW SOUTH WALES GOVERNMENT FINANCES: BUDGET SECTOR

(Source: Financial Statement released by NSW Treasury. Figures may differ from data published in annual ABS publications.)

(\$ million)

| | Actual 1993-94 | Actual 1994-95 | Estimates 1995-96 | July-February | |
|--|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------|---------------|---------------|
| | | | | 1994-95 | 1995-96 |
| RECEIPTS— | | | | | |
| Current receipts— | | | | | |
| Taxes, fees and fines— | | | | | |
| Stamp duties | 2,653 | 2,624 | 2,507 | 1,801 | 1,737 |
| Payroll tax | 2,454 | 2,688 | 2,931 | 1,789 | 1,909 |
| Land tax | 519 | 510 | 570 | 154 | 192 |
| Motor vehicle tax | 837 | 918 | 931 | 588 | 621 |
| Gaming and Betting | 1,003 | 1,088 | 1,185 | 669 | 719 |
| Licences | 1,411 | 1,453 | 1,708 | 870 | 1,069 |
| Other | 848 | 876 | 913 | 590 | 626 |
| Land transactions and royalties | 233 | 218 | 235 | 147 | 169 |
| Income from Non Budget Sector Enterprises | 1,064 | 1,044 | 2,781 | 937 | 1,041 |
| Commonwealth General Purpose Recurrent Grants | 3,960 | 4,278 | 4,515 | 2,870 | 3,041 |
| Commonwealth Specific Purpose Recurrent Grants | 2,501 | 2,685 | 2,886 | 1,677 | 1,916 |
| Other | 538 | 597 | 693 | 304 | 362 |
| Total current receipts | 18,022 | 18,979 | 21,855 | 12,396 | 13,402 |
| Capital receipts— | | | | | |
| Commonwealth General Purpose Capital Grants | 80 | — | — | — | — |
| Commonwealth Specific Purpose Capital Grants | 1,005 | 961 | 921 | 579 | 443 |
| Other | 11 | 12 | 18 | 5 | 9 |
| Total capital receipts | 1,096 | 974 | 939 | 584 | 451 |
| Total, current and capital receipts | 19,117 | 19,953 | 22,794 | 12,980 | 13,854 |
| EXPENDITURE— | | | | | |
| Current expenditure— | | | | | |
| Departmental payments— | | | | | |
| Services— | | | | | |
| Health | 4,535 | 4,785 | 5,003 | 3,230 | 3,387 |
| Education (a) | 4,144 | 4,429 | 4,730 | 2,834 | 3,100 |
| Law and order (b) | 1,333 | 1,456 | 1,521 | 931 | 1,033 |
| Community Services | 840 | 873 | 1,048 | 566 | 645 |
| Other | 2,504 | 2,773 | 3,598 | 1,728 | 2,225 |
| Redundancies | 69 | 53 | 75 | 31 | 7 |
| Subsidies to Non Budget agencies— | | | | | |
| Services | 812 | 812 | 950 | 539 | 616 |
| Redundancies | 154 | 129 | 77 | 75 | 49 |
| Interest payments | 1,726 | 1,705 | 1,592 | 1,012 | 1,038 |
| Superannuation | 986 | 1,006 | 1,078 | 583 | 659 |
| Treasurer's advance (c) | — | — | 75 | — | — |
| less—User charges | 1,333 | 1,302 | 1,171 | 896 | 774 |
| Total current expenditure | 15,770 | 16,720 | 18,576 | 10,633 | 11,986 |
| Capital expenditure— | | | | | |
| Capital works | 2,663 | 2,700 | 2,127 | 1,522 | 1,099 |
| Capital grants | 1,451 | 1,374 | 1,225 | 788 | 735 |
| Advances made | 18 | 38 | 47 | 22 | 29 |
| less—Advances repaid | 249 | 54 | 116 | 401 | —2 |
| —Asset sales | 105 | 488 | 174 | 428 | 79 |
| Total capital expenditure | 3,778 | 3,569 | 3,110 | 1,502 | 1,787 |
| Total, current and capital expenditure | 19,548 | 20,289 | 21,686 | 12,135 | 13,773 |
| SURPLUS OR DEFICIT (—) | | | | | |
| Current account | 2,253 | 2,259 | 3,279 | 1,763 | 1,415 |
| Capital account | —2,683 | —2,595 | —2,171 | —918 | —1,335 |
| Total before extraordinary items | —430 | —336 | 1,107 | 845 | 80 |
| Extraordinary items (d) | — | 527 | — | — | — |
| Total after extraordinary items | —430 | 191 | 1,107 | 845 | 80 |

(a) Includes Office of Education and Youth Affairs, Department of School Education, and TAFE. (b) Includes Attorney Generals Department, Department of Corrective Services, Department of Courts Administration and Police Services. (c) Expenditure from the Treasurer's Advance is included in the relevant current payments figures. (d) Sale of Major Business assets (sale of State Bank).

TABLE 34. BANK INTEREST RATES
(per cent per annum)

| Type of deposit or loan | Interest rate at end June 1995 | Interest rate current at end of— | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------|---------------|
| | | December 1995 | January 1996 | February 1996 |
| Banks (a)— | | | | |
| Fixed deposits— | | | | |
| \$5,000–\$100,000 (predominant rate)— | | | | |
| 1 month | 5.45 | 5.40 | 5.40 | 5.40 |
| 3 months | 6.10 | 6.00 | 6.00 | 6.00 |
| 6 months | 6.75 | 6.70 | 6.60 | 6.55 |
| 1 year | 7.15 | 6.95 | 6.90 | 6.90 |
| Transaction and investment accounts— | | | | |
| Less than \$2,000 | 1.15–1.75 | 1.15–1.75 | 1.00–1.75 | 1.4 |
| \$2,000 to less than \$10,000 | 1.25–2.75 | 1.25–2.75 | 1.15–2.50 | 1.8 |
| \$10,000 and over | 2.75–4.50 | 2.75–4.50 | 2.75–4.50 | 3.6 |
| Loans— | | | | |
| Business indicator (b)— | | | | |
| Large Business | 10.60–10.75 | 10.65–10.75 | 10.75 | 10.75 |
| Small/medium size business | 10.90–11.25 | 11.00–11.25 | 11.15–11.25 | 11.25 |
| New housing loans to individuals for owner-occupation (predominant rate) | 10.50 | 10.50 | 10.50 | 10.50 |
| Primary Industry Bank of Australia (c)— | | | | |
| Term deposits— | | | | |
| \$5,000 to less than \$50,000— | | | | |
| 3 months | 6.75 | 7.00 | 7.00 | 7.00 |
| 6 months | 7.45 | 7.05 | 7.05 | 7.05 |
| \$50,000 to \$500,000— | | | | |
| 3 months | 7.55 | 7.30 | 7.35 | 7.25 |
| 6 months | 7.55 | 7.20 | 7.30 | 7.30 |
| PIBA bonds— | | | | |
| \$5,000 to less than \$250,000— | | | | |
| 1 year | 7.35 | 7.00 | 7.00 | 7.00 |
| 2 years | 7.55 | 7.25 | 7.25 | 7.25 |
| 3 years | 7.70 | 7.40 | 7.40 | 7.40 |
| 4 years | 7.90 | 7.60 | 7.60 | 7.60 |
| 5 years | 8.10 | 7.80 | 7.80 | 7.80 |
| \$250,000 to \$500,000— | | | | |
| 1 year | 7.55 | 7.25 | 7.35 | 7.70 |
| 2 years | 7.85 | 7.40 | 7.45 | 7.95 |
| 3 years | 8.10 | 7.55 | 7.55 | 8.10 |
| 4 years | 8.40 | 7.75 | 7.75 | 8.30 |
| 5 years | 8.60 | 7.95 | 7.90 | 8.45 |

(a) Source: Reserve Bank. (b) Rates apply to variable rate advances such as overdrafts and fully drawn loans. (c) Source: Primary Industry Bank.

TABLE 36. ALL BANKS: TOTAL SA ASSETS (a)
(Average of weekly figures)
(Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)
(\$ million)

| Period | Held with Reserve Bank | Loans, advances and bills held | Bills receivable | Public sector securities | All other | Total SA assets |
|-----------|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------------|
| June— | | | | | | |
| 1991 | 3,785 | 226,757 | 53,573 | 23,437 | 29,122 | 336,672 |
| 1992 | 3,891 | 238,604 | 48,474 | 24,975 | 31,603 | 347,546 |
| 1993 | 4,279 | 255,384 | 48,659 | 25,484 | 31,506 | 365,311 |
| 1994— | | | | | | |
| November | r4,986 | r285,694 | 51,787 | 27,009 | 31,839 | 401,315 |
| December | r5,498 | r290,356 | 50,761 | 27,892 | 31,400 | r405,898 |
| 1995— | | | | | | |
| January | 5,349 | 287,484 | 51,200 | 27,845 | 31,122 | 403,000 |
| February | 5,078 | 288,713 | 51,371 | 29,886 | 31,304 | 406,351 |
| March | 5,114 | 291,034 | 51,163 | 30,152 | 31,779 | 409,243 |
| April | 5,386 | 292,275 | 51,978 | 28,230 | 32,200 | 410,069 |
| May | 5,156 | 295,742 | 52,686 | 27,186 | 32,537 | 413,307 |
| June | 5,178 | 297,269 | 52,329 | 28,545 | 32,346 | 415,667 |
| July | 5,163 | 301,891 | 52,585 | 28,327 | 32,622 | 420,588 |
| August | 5,258 | 303,909 | 52,345 | 27,292 | 33,014 | 421,818 |
| September | 5,276 | 310,340 | 52,258 | 29,357 | 33,017 | 430,248 |
| October | 5,379 | 312,557 | 52,251 | 30,750 | 32,909 | 433,846 |
| November | 5,439 | 316,003 | 53,084 | 30,112 | 34,559 | 439,197 |
| December | 5,830 | 323,387 | 52,546 | 28,498 | 36,293 | 446,553 |
| 1996— | | | | | | |
| January | 5,752 | 322,616 | 53,457 | 28,441 | 36,675 | 446,940 |

(a) Excludes Reserve Bank of Australia.

TABLE 37. ALL BANKS: DEPOSITS AND LIABILITIES REPAYABLE IN AUSTRALIA (a)
(Average of weekly figures)
(Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)
(\$ million)

| Period | Deposits | | | | | Bill acceptances | All other liabilities | Total (c) |
|-----------|-------------|----------|-------------|-----------|----------|---------------------|--------------------------|-----------|
| | Current (b) | Fixed | Certificate | Other (b) | Total | | | |
| June— | | | | | | | | |
| 1991 | 31,169 | 77,263 | 32,773 | 53,536 | 194,741 | 55,071 | 37,364 | 287,176 |
| 1992 | 37,239 | 77,797 | 31,006 | 57,081 | 203,124 | 49,372 | 41,390 | 293,886 |
| 1993 | 49,922 | 87,727 | 30,414 | 54,457 | 222,519 | 49,531 | 36,368 | 308,418 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | | |
| November | 59,667 | 103,210 | 30,686 | 55,672 | 249,235 | 52,061 | 40,683 | 341,979 |
| December | r61,692 | r107,282 | 29,652 | r55,096 | r253,723 | 50,949 | r42,167 | r346,837 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | |
| January | 59,289 | 107,763 | 30,227 | 54,651 | 251,929 | 51,453 | 39,233 | 342,615 |
| February | 58,651 | 109,797 | 29,902 | 53,648 | 251,998 | 51,826 | 39,661 | 343,486 |
| March | 58,708 | 112,152 | 30,503 | 52,991 | 254,355 | 51,425 | 40,468 | 346,248 |
| April | 58,013 | 111,840 | 31,558 | 52,002 | 253,414 | 52,196 | 41,580 | 347,189 |
| May | 57,807 | 113,036 | 31,985 | 51,476 | 254,304 | 52,806 | 41,828 | 348,939 |
| June | 57,919 | 114,675 | 31,228 | 51,408 | 255,230 | 52,472 | 42,018 | 349,719 |
| July | 59,569 | 118,176 | 31,359 | 51,628 | 260,732 | 52,718 | 41,458 | 354,909 |
| August | 59,251 | 117,777 | 34,407 | 51,117 | 262,552 | 52,529 | 39,686 | 354,767 |
| September | 59,416 | 123,390 | 33,702 | 50,794 | 267,304 | 52,403 | 41,783 | 361,489 |
| October | 60,641 | 124,487 | 34,109 | 50,931 | 270,167 | 52,503 | 42,705 | 365,375 |
| November | 63,507 | 123,620 | 34,237 | 51,049 | 272,413 | 53,397 | 43,603 | 369,412 |
| December | 66,178 | 125,381 | 35,212 | 51,887 | 278,658 | 52,747 | 43,293 | 374,698 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | | |
| January | 65,507 | 125,807 | 35,076 | 51,645 | 278,035 | 53,598 | 42,342 | 373,975 |

(a) Excludes Reserve Bank of Australia. (b) Break in series due to the reclassification of Other deposits to Current deposits by one bank. (c) Excludes shareholders' funds.

TABLE 35. COMMONWEALTH SECURITY YIELDS AND MISCELLANEOUS INTEREST RATES
(per cent per annum)

| Type of security, deposit or loan | June 1994 | June 1995 | December 1995 | January 1996 | February 1996 |
|--|------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|
| Commonwealth security yields (a)— | | | | | |
| Treasury notes allotted at tender (b)— | | | | | |
| 13-week | 5.40 | 7.50 | 7.25 | 7.35 | 7.45 |
| 26-week | 6.03 | .. | 7.25 | 7.35 | 7.55 |
| Treasury bonds (c)— | | | | | |
| 3-year term | 8.57 | 8.20 | 7.50 | 7.40 | 8.00 |
| 5-year term | 9.05 | 8.60 | 7.80 | 7.65 | 8.25 |
| 10-year term | 9.65 | 9.20 | 8.20 | 8.00 | 8.60 |
| NSW Treasury Corporation (a)(d)— | | | | | |
| 3 years | 8.70 | 8.30 | 7.50 | 7.45 | 8.05 |
| 5 years | 9.30 | 8.80 | 7.85 | 7.75 | 8.35 |
| 10 years | 10.00 | 9.45 | 8.45 | 8.25 | 8.85 |
| Authorised dealers (a)(e)— | | | | | |
| Rate on loans outstanding | 4.69 | 7.44 | 7.43 | 7.45 | 7.44 |
| Finance companies (a)(f)— | | | | | |
| 2-year debentures | 6.50-6.90 | 7.60-7.75 | 7.10-7.30 | 7.10-7.30 | 7.20 |
| 3-year debentures | 7.00-7.50 | 7.75-7.90 | 7.25-7.45 | 7.25-7.45 | 7.30 |
| Building societies (a)— | | | | | |
| Housing loans (h) | 8.82 | 10.48 | 10.29 | 10.30 | 10.30 |
| Credit unions in NSW (i)— | | | | | |
| Statement investment account (j) | 2.50-4.00 | 3.00-4.25 | 2.90-4.20 | 2.90-4.20 | 2.90-4.20 |
| Personal loans | 9.90-13.00 | 12.00-13.95 | 11.50-14.00 | 11.50-14.00 | 11.50-14.00 |
| Home loans | 8.25-9.00 | 9.75-10.50 | 9.75-10.50 | 9.75-10.50 | 9.75-10.50 |

(a) Source: Reserve Bank. (b) Weighted average yield. (c) Figures represent assessed secondary market yields (before brokerage) on non-rebate bonds on the last business day of the month. (d) Assessed secondary market yields. (e) Weighted average of daily figures for the four or five weeks ending on the last Wednesday of the month. (f) Finance companies associated with major banks. (g) Fixed term shares 12 months in NSW. (h) Average of the largest lenders' standard variable rate for owner-occupation. (i) Source: Credit Union Services Corp. (Aust.) Ltd. Range of rates current at end of month. (j) Subject to minimum balance of \$5,000.

TABLE 38. FINANCE COMPANIES: FINANCE LEASE RECEIVABLES AND LOAN OUTSTANDINGS IN NSW
(\$ million)

| Period | Finance lease receivables (a) | Loan outstandings at end of period | | | Other loans and advances (b) | Total loan outstandings (b) |
|-----------|--|------------------------------------|---------|---------|------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| | | Individuals | | Total | | |
| | | Housing | Other | | | |
| June-- | | | | | | |
| 1991 | 3,226.7 | 241.3 | 2,019.7 | 2,261.0 | 6,806.9 | 9,067.9 |
| 1992 | 2,828.1 | 175.2 | 1,823.5 | 1,998.7 | 5,956.9 | 7,955.7 |
| 1993 | 2,432.3 | 305.1 | 1,766.3 | 2,071.4 | 5,097.7 | 7,169.1 |
| 1994-- | | | | | | |
| November | 2,124.6 | 251.1 | 1,871.2 | 2,122.3 | 4,364.4 | 6,486.7 |
| December | 2,131.6 | 249.9 | 1,902.1 | 2,152.0 | 4,339.2 | 6,491.1 |
| 1995-- | | | | | | |
| January | 2,109.1 | 249.1 | 1,917.6 | 2,166.7 | 4,234.5 | 6,401.2 |
| February | 2,123.5 | 249.0 | 1,945.1 | 2,194.1 | 4,278.6 | 6,472.6 |
| March | 2,179.2 | 249.7 | 1,976.5 | 2,226.2 | 4,292.5 | 6,518.7 |
| April | 2,199.0 | 251.1 | 2,004.5 | 2,255.6 | 4,423.1 | 6,678.7 |
| May | 2,220.9 | 252.6 | 2,049.2 | 2,301.7 | 4,484.0 | 6,785.7 |
| June | 2,240.8 | 252.3 | 2,071.8 | 2,324.1 | 4,597.4 | 6,921.5 |
| July | 2,294.9 | 250.2 | 2,094.4 | 2,344.6 | 4,621.2 | 6,965.8 |
| August | 2,251.9 | 270.7 | 2,116.2 | 2,386.9 | 4,646.3 | 7,033.2 |
| September | 2,341.1 | 265.2 | 2,131.3 | 2,396.5 | 4,638.0 | 7,034.5 |
| October | 2,356.0 | 269.6 | 2,145.2 | 2,414.8 | 4,665.1 | 7,079.9 |
| November | 2,372.0 | 262.9 | 2,162.8 | 2,425.7 | 4,777.5 | 7,203.2 |
| December | 2,439.3 | 278.7 | 2,178.8 | 2,457.5 | 4,825.8 | 7,283.3 |
| 1996-- | | | | | | |
| January | 2,439.7 | 278.0 | 2,186.3 | 2,464.2 | 4,711.4 | 7,175.6 |

(a) Excludes leveraged lease receivables. (b) Excludes related corporations.

TABLE 39. BUILDING SOCIETIES, NSW (a)
(\$ million)

| Period | Borrowing from residents | | | | Lending operations with residents | | | | |
|-----------|----------------------------|---------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------|
| | Withdrawable share capital | | | Other borrowings at end of period | New commitments during period | Loans advanced during period | Payments received during period | Loan outstandings at end of period | |
| | Receipts during period | Withdrawals during period | At end of period | | | | | Owner-occupied housing | Other |
| | | | | | | | | | |
| June— | | | | | | | | | |
| 1991 | 330 | 316 | 1,259 | 7,716 | 195 | 197 | 198 | 4,663 | 125 |
| 1992 | 383 | 373 | 1,415 | 8,609 | 232 | 263 | 220 | 5,876 | 287 |
| 1993 | 446 | 439 | 1,547 | 1,197 | 65 | 64 | 62 | 1,595 | 163 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | | | |
| November | 484 | 478 | 1,710 | 1,503 | 98 | 96 | 69 | 1,904 | 208 |
| December | 479 | 474 | 1,714 | 1,527 | 75 | 107 | 79 | 1,938 | 201 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 409 | 378 | 1,745 | 1,552 | 71 | 66 | 68 | 1,942 | 212 |
| February | 489 | 474 | 1,760 | 1,556 | 86 | 76 | 67 | 1,962 | 205 |
| March | 430 | 436 | 1,754 | 1,580 | 87 | 93 | 80 | 2,014 | 207 |
| April | 380 | 383 | 1,751 | 1,590 | 73 | 83 | 70 | 2,031 | 209 |
| May | 556 | 544 | 1,762 | 1,610 | 104 | 100 | 83 | 2,073 | 210 |
| June | 547 | 540 | 1,769 | 1,660 | 97 | 101 | 84 | 2,104 | 212 |
| July | 522 | 513 | 1,778 | 1,666 | 88 | 84 | 86 | 2,118 | 212 |
| August | 591 | 577 | 1,793 | 1,687 | 101 | 91 | 117 | 2,126 | 215 |
| September | 509 | 492 | 1,810 | 1,698 | 94 | 101 | 92 | 2,151 | 218 |
| October | 518 | 510 | 1,817 | 1,714 | 103 | 91 | 99 | 2,173 | 222 |
| November | 551 | 532 | 1,836 | 1,720 | 108 | 103 | 91 | 2,205 | 225 |
| December | 615 | 599 | 1,852 | 1,738 | 91 | 100 | 88 | 2,221 | 227 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 496 | 489 | 1,858 | 1,762 | 80 | 80 | 80 | 2,255 | 230 |

(a) Building society statistics reflect the change of St George Building Society to the St George Bank, from July 1992 onwards.

TABLE 40. COMMERCIAL FINANCE COMMITMENTS BY SIGNIFICANT LENDERS IN NSW (a)
(\\$ million)

| Period | Commitments under revolving credit facilities | | | | Commercial finance commitments during period |
|-----------|---|---|--------------------------------|------------|--|
| | Fixed loan commitments during period | New and increased credit limits during period | Credit limits at end of period | | |
| | | | Total available | Total used | |
| 1992-93 | 14,456.2 | 25,305.1 | 56,995.0 | 38,646.3 | 39,761.3 |
| 1993-94 | 19,466.5 | 24,252.4 | 63,186.1 | 39,920.2 | 43,718.8 |
| 1994-95 | 19,904.2 | 27,397.0 | 71,178.8 | 45,234.3 | 47,301.0 |
| 1994— | | | | | |
| November | 1,762.7 | 2,554.6 | 64,580.4 | 41,239.7 | 4,317.3 |
| December | 2,074.3 | 2,691.6 | 64,744.0 | 41,569.5 | 4,766.0 |
| 1995— | | | | | |
| January | 1,226.0 | 1,621.7 | 64,929.2 | 41,872.9 | 2,847.7 |
| February | 1,373.6 | 1,939.7 | 64,954.3 | 42,262.4 | 3,313.3 |
| March | 1,750.7 | 3,142.4 | 65,901.4 | 42,597.6 | 4,893.1 |
| April | 1,375.1 | 1,911.4 | 66,359.4 | 43,140.3 | 3,284.9 |
| May | 1,738.4 | 2,582.0 | 67,998.9 | 44,844.6 | 4,323.0 |
| June | r1,973.1 | 3,006.9 | 71,199.4 | 45,380.0 | 4,953.7 |
| July | r1,715.1 | 2,581.2 | 68,168.6 | 43,904.2 | r4,296.2 |
| August | r2,567.8 | 2,389.1 | 68,042.1 | 43,904.3 | r4,957.0 |
| September | r2,227.3 | 3,045.9 | 69,447.7 | 44,752.9 | r5,273.3 |
| October | r1,862.0 | 2,634.6 | 70,061.9 | 45,496.5 | r4,496.6 |
| November | r1,855.7 | 2,734.8 | 73,303.9 | 50,015.5 | r4,590.5 |
| December | r2,281.9 | r4,135.8 | r75,722.0 | r50,340.6 | r6,417.7 |
| 1996— | | | | | |
| January | 1,640.0 | 2,227.0 | 75,874.4 | 51,040.0 | 3,866.7 |

(a) Figures exclude lease finance commitments—refer separate table on next page.

TABLE 41. COMMERCIAL FINANCE COMMITMENTS IN NSW: FIXED LOAN FACILITIES BY PURPOSE OF COMMITMENTS
(\\$ million)

| Period | Construction finance (a) | Purchase of real property | Wholesale finance | Purchase of motor vehicles, plant and equipment | Re-financing | Other (b) | Total commitments |
|-----------|--------------------------|---------------------------|-------------------|---|--------------|-----------|-------------------|
| 1992-93 | 1,332.7 | 3,414.0 | 1,313.8 | 1,405.0 | 3,362.4 | 3,628.1 | 14,456.2 |
| 1993-94 | 2,011.9 | 5,986.2 | 1,939.0 | 1,945.0 | 2,902.6 | 4,681.8 | 19,466.5 |
| 1994-95 | 2,207.3 | 6,893.0 | 1,725.5 | 2,348.3 | 3,385.3 | 3,344.8 | 19,904.1 |
| 1994— | | | | | | | |
| November | 267.4 | 595.3 | 155.0 | 183.8 | 319.5 | 241.5 | 1,762.7 |
| December | 270.6 | 630.5 | 166.2 | 322.3 | 405.6 | 279.1 | 2,074.3 |
| 1995— | | | | | | | |
| January | 134.1 | 404.9 | 151.4 | 114.1 | 255.2 | 166.2 | 1,225.9 |
| February | 117.3 | 482.0 | 176.7 | 157.7 | 168.5 | 247.9 | 1,346.3 |
| March | 169.9 | 665.1 | 131.6 | 160.8 | 275.6 | 320.6 | 1,720.4 |
| April | 157.2 | 514.1 | 108.1 | 143.8 | 196.8 | 255.1 | 1,373.5 |
| May | 209.9 | 586.0 | 164.7 | 237.5 | 249.3 | 291.2 | 1,741.1 |
| June | 167.2 | 707.8 | 139.5 | 274.3 | 218.9 | 463.9 | 1,971.7 |
| July | 144.3 | r628.7 | 114.7 | 160.9 | 279.3 | 387.2 | r1,715.1 |
| August | 192.9 | r636.5 | 123.7 | 395.8 | 554.7 | 664.4 | r2,567.8 |
| September | 313.9 | r610.5 | 134.1 | 152.3 | 458.2 | 558.2 | r2,227.4 |
| October | 193.4 | r675.6 | 146.3 | 171.9 | 276.9 | 397.9 | r1,862.0 |
| November | 187.8 | r717.4 | 115.1 | 260.6 | 222.4 | 352.4 | r1,855.8 |
| December | 219.9 | r693.2 | 126.3 | 176.5 | 411.3 | 654.8 | r2,281.9 |
| 1996— | | | | | | | |
| January | 190.4 | 485.2 | 206.4 | 143.7 | 212.8 | 401.2 | 1,640.0 |

(a) Includes alterations and/or additions. (b) Includes factoring.

**TABLE 42. VALUE OF GOODS UNDER NEW LEASE COMMITMENTS IN NSW
BY TYPE OF GOODS: ALL LESSORS (a)
(\$ million)**

| <i>Period</i> | <i>Motor vehicles</i> | <i>Other transport equipment</i> | <i>Construction and earth-moving equipment</i> | <i>Agricultural machinery and equipment</i> | <i>Electronic data-processing equipment</i> | <i>Shop and office furniture, fittings, equipment and office machines</i> | <i>Other</i> | <i>Total</i> |
|---------------|-----------------------|----------------------------------|--|---|---|---|--------------|--------------|
| 1992-93 | 1,200.7 | 38.1 | 58.5 | 37.0 | 188.2 | 205.6 | 168.3 | 1,896.4 |
| 1993-94 | 1,400.0 | 46.7 | 86.6 | 67.3 | 232.1 | 262.4 | 297.5 | 2,392.7 |
| 1994-95 | 1,606.9 | 75.5 | 221.6 | 54.2 | 242.0 | 261.4 | 240.1 | 2,701.8 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| November | 153.7 | 3.0 | 15.7 | 3.3 | 22.6 | 22.8 | 20.1 | 241.3 |
| December | 138.3 | 3.8 | 8.4 | 3.4 | 31.5 | 22.1 | 21.9 | 229.4 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| January | 91.9 | 4.1 | 3.5 | 2.1 | 11.8 | 13.9 | 17.5 | 144.0 |
| February | 124.2 | 8.9 | 28.8 | 3.4 | 17.4 | 17.8 | 17.2 | 216.6 |
| March | 155.9 | 10.8 | 32.1 | 5.7 | 22.4 | 22.6 | 18.6 | 257.3 |
| April | 118.2 | 2.3 | 25.8 | 3.2 | 12.6 | 22.4 | 12.6 | 195.9 |
| May | 169.1 | 6.7 | 27.9 | 4.3 | 12.5 | 24.7 | 22.9 | 267.0 |
| June | 162.7 | 7.8 | 38.1 | 9.7 | 44.1 | 31.6 | 30.3 | 323.1 |
| July | 138.7 | 2.9 | 35.6 | 5.3 | 22.8 | 28.7 | 16.1 | 249.3 |
| August | 138.9 | 11.2 | 42.3 | 3.4 | 14.5 | 20.9 | 21.4 | 249.6 |
| September | 147.7 | 8.2 | 36.9 | 8.7 | 17.8 | 31.8 | 20.4 | 269.5 |
| October | 128.5 | 6.8 | 35.4 | 5.0 | 18.5 | 24.3 | 17.7 | 235.0 |
| November | 140.2 | 5.2 | 37.5 | 4.1 | 34.5 | 25.8 | 22.0 | 267.8 |
| December | 161.8 | 12.9 | 41.3 | 4.9 | 34.6 | 25.8 | 16.6 | 290.7 |
| <i>1996—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| January | 103.5 | 3.2 | 41.2 | 6.0 | 17.0 | 17.9 | 19.6 | 206.1 |

(a) The figures in this table comprise lease finance commitments made by significant lenders during the period to private and public enterprises, and exclude leveraged leases.

**TABLE 43. PERSONAL FINANCE COMMITMENTS IN NSW: ALL LENDERS
(\$ million)**

| Period | Fixed loan commitments during period (a) | Commitments under revolving credit facilities (b) | | | Total personal finance commitments during period (c) |
|-----------|--|---|--------------------------------|------------|--|
| | | New and increased credit limits during period | Credit limits at end of period | | |
| | | | Total available | Total used | |
| 1992-93 | 4,392.7 | 2,786.4 | 14,228.0 | 5,863.0 | 7,179.0 |
| 1993-94 | 5,312.4 | 3,611.0 | 14,963.5 | 6,346.1 | 8,923.4 |
| 1994-95 | 5,922.0 | 3,747.8 | 15,269.8 | 6,282.9 | 9,669.8 |
| 1994— | | | | | |
| November | 517.4 | 275.8 | 14,458.1 | 5,897.7 | 793.2 |
| December | 467.8 | 448.1 | 14,631.5 | 6,085.8 | 915.9 |
| 1995— | | | | | |
| January | 421.6 | 254.4 | 14,673.9 | 6,057.3 | 676.0 |
| February | 456.0 | 258.6 | 14,777.8 | 6,110.0 | 718.5 |
| March | 604.2 | 303.7 | 14,906.7 | 5,994.2 | 907.9 |
| April | 447.4 | 246.9 | 14,890.3 | 6,089.4 | 694.2 |
| May | 585.1 | 344.2 | 14,934.6 | 6,158.0 | 929.3 |
| June | 580.0 | 485.3 | r15,715.1 | r6,570.8 | 1,065.3 |
| July | 532.6 | 385.7 | r15,853.7 | r6,669.5 | 918.3 |
| August | 573.6 | 352.9 | r15,859.0 | r6,634.5 | 926.4 |
| September | 535.3 | 298.1 | r15,861.9 | r6,607.9 | 833.4 |
| October | 551.4 | r399.1 | r15,818.6 | r6,521.1 | r950.5 |
| November | 588.5 | r364.2 | r15,965.4 | r6,580.5 | r952.7 |
| December | 518.3 | r400.2 | r16,189.7 | r6,697.7 | r918.5 |
| 1996— | | | | | |
| January | 551.3 | 280.8 | 16,244.1 | 6,748.7 | 832.0 |

(a) Includes personal investment loans. (b) Includes credit card facilities. (c) Includes commitments for loans on life policies.

**TABLE 44. CREDIT COOPERATIVES WITH ASSETS IN AUSTRALIA EXCEEDING \$5 MILLION:
BORROWING AND LENDING OPERATIONS IN NSW**
(\$ million)

| Period | Borrowings from residents at end of period (a) | | | Lending operations with residents | | | |
|--------------|--|--|--|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------|
| | Banks | Credit cooperative associations or leagues | Deposits, share capital and other borrowings | Loans advanced during period (a)(b) | Payments received during period | Loan outstandings at end of period | |
| | | | | | | Individuals (c) | Other |
| <i>June—</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1991 | 6.1 | 33.9 | 3,317.0 | 131.2 | 162.8 | 3,013.0 | 26.3 |
| 1992 | 10.5 | 33.4 | 3,641.4 | 175.3 | 172.6 | 3,333.4 | 31.0 |
| 1993 | 7.6 | 16.8 | 4,264.7 | 187.5 | 200.7 | 3,697.8 | 40.3 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | | |
| November | 2.7 | 53.8 | 4,894.1 | 233.0 | 217.7 | 4,427.9 | 69.5 |
| December | 4.9 | 175.4 | 4,924.4 | 227.8 | 218.6 | 4,495.6 | 70.9 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | | |
| January | 3.6 | 79.2 | 4,949.5 | 183.0 | 187.2 | 4,548.2 | 70.0 |
| February | 2.7 | 57.7 | 5,021.2 | 198.4 | 196.4 | 4,603.3 | 71.6 |
| March | 1.2 | 44.2 | 5,124.8 | 239.7 | 224.7 | 4,677.6 | 72.1 |
| April | 1.1 | 38.0 | 5,168.7 | 185.0 | 190.4 | 4,728.3 | 172.1 |
| May | 1.6 | 22.0 | 5,297.6 | 242.1 | 237.4 | 4,786.8 | 74.5 |
| June | 6.7 | 20.1 | 5,392.5 | 242.2 | 224.0 | 4,856.5 | 78.0 |
| July | 2.4 | 12.6 | 5,487.3 | 206.6 | 218.4 | 4,904.4 | 78.8 |
| August | 2.2 | 6.7 | 5,601.8 | 221.2 | 236.9 | 4,944.4 | 79.6 |
| September | 2.0 | 5.1 | 5,693.8 | 213.5 | 228.7 | 4,982.0 | 82.1 |
| October | 2.3 | 9.9 | 5,748.9 | 211.8 | 224.7 | 5,028.5 | 82.4 |
| November | 3.0 | 6.9 | 5,845.8 | 231.9 | 246.1 | 5,060.5 | 83.6 |
| December | 2.8 | 17.3 | 5,864.1 | 215.4 | 227.5 | 5,105.7 | 83.4 |
| <i>1996—</i> | | | | | | | |
| January | 1.2 | 5.9 | 5,852.9 | 195.1 | 227.4 | 5,142.1 | 81.0 |

(a) Excludes related corporations. (b) Includes book debts purchased during period. (c) Includes owner-occupied housing.

NOTE: Credit cooperatives operate under relevant State or Territory legislation and are organised on a cooperative basis by borrowing from, and providing finance to, their own members.

**TABLE 45. CREDIT COOPERATIVES WITH ASSETS IN AUSTRALIA EXCEEDING \$5 MILLION:
MATURITY DISSECTION OF BORROWINGS FROM RESIDENTS (a)
BALANCES AS AT END OF PERIOD**
(\$ million)

| Period | Borrowings by period of notice for withdrawal, or remaining period to maturity where a maturity date is specified | | | | | Total |
|--------------|---|--------------------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------|---------|
| | At call | Up to 3 months but not at call | Over 3 months and up to 6 months | Over 6 months and up to 1 year | Over 1 year | |
| <i>June—</i> | | | | | | |
| 1991 | 1,538.8 | 1,028.0 | 462.2 | 246.9 | 75.1 | 3,351.0 |
| 1992 | 1,679.0 | 1,051.3 | 505.9 | 331.9 | 106.7 | 3,674.9 |
| 1993 | 1,992.7 | 1,101.8 | 541.1 | 457.9 | 188.2 | 4,281.6 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | |
| September | 2,350.4 | 1,146.5 | 569.0 | 579.5 | 225.2 | 4,870.6 |
| December | 2,378.6 | 1,164.0 | 565.3 | 646.8 | 245.6 | 5,000.2 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | |
| March | 2,322.4 | 1,178.7 | 715.6 | 662.7 | 289.8 | 5,169.1 |
| June | 2,258.1 | 1,322.2 | 661.7 | 770.9 | 399.8 | 5,412.6 |
| September | 2,390.3 | 1,277.0 | 791.2 | 841.7 | 398.9 | 5,698.9 |
| December | 2,478.8 | 1,372.3 | 770.6 | 865.1 | 395.0 | 5,881.4 |

(a) Figures relate to credit cooperatives registered in New South Wales and exclude related corporations and banks.

TABLE 46. VALUE OF RETAIL TURNOVER (a) IN NSW, BY INDUSTRY GROUP
(*\$ million*)

NOTE: The structure of this table has changed following the introduction of the use of a new industry classification: Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification (ANZSIC). Data are not yet available under the new classification prior to August 1993.

| <i>Period</i> | <i>Food retailing</i> | <i>Department stores</i> | <i>Clothing and soft good retailing</i> | <i>Household good retailing</i> | <i>Recreational good retailing</i> | <i>Other retailing</i> | <i>Hospitality and services</i> | <i>Total</i> |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------|---|---|--|----------------------------|---|--------------|
| 1992-93 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| 1993-94 | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. | n.a. |
| 1994-95 | 14,425.4 | 3,879.8 | 2,856.2 | 4,460.3 | 1,945.8 | 3,647.8 | 8,137.5 | 39,352.8 |
| <i>July-February—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 9,551.8 | 2,664.7 | 1,878.2 | 3,032.7 | 1,363.4 | 2,479.4 | 5,371.2 | 26,341.4 |
| 1995-96 | 10,785.6 | 2,807.4 | 2,093.0 | 3,088.4 | 1,489.7 | 2,749.1 | 6,015.4 | 29,028.6 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| December | 1,403.1 | 648.0 | 339.0 | 505.6 | 221.5 | 421.9 | 755.9 | 4,295.0 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| January | 1,194.0 | 261.3 | 226.6 | 342.0 | 141.3 | 281.0 | 700.3 | 3,146.5 |
| February | 1,121.5 | 236.8 | 191.9 | 325.5 | 136.8 | 261.6 | 614.9 | 2,889.0 |
| March | 1,231.5 | 282.4 | 223.4 | 359.9 | 155.7 | 290.1 | 695.2 | 3,238.2 |
| April | 1,220.5 | 308.9 | 253.2 | 331.0 | 133.1 | 290.2 | 698.1 | 3,235.0 |
| May | 1,217.0 | 317.0 | 252.3 | 375.8 | 152.6 | 297.7 | 700.0 | 3,312.4 |
| June | 1,204.6 | 306.8 | 249.1 | 360.9 | 141.0 | 290.4 | 673.0 | 3,225.8 |
| July | 1,239.7 | 314.4 | 245.2 | 360.7 | 162.5 | 307.4 | 708.1 | 3,338.0 |
| August | 1,289.8 | 299.4 | 235.4 | 352.4 | 169.2 | 320.7 | 706.6 | 3,373.5 |
| September | 1,254.8 | 292.9 | 238.3 | 355.9 | 165.5 | 334.3 | 726.5 | 3,368.2 |
| October | 1,344.9 | 321.6 | 248.5 | 375.1 | 176.1 | 330.8 | 755.3 | 3,552.3 |
| November | 1,383.2 | 370.0 | 262.0 | 401.2 | 201.5 | 355.9 | 758.3 | 3,732.1 |
| December | 1,582.9 | 663.3 | 377.3 | 498.9 | 259.3 | 477.9 | 865.3 | 4,724.9 |
| <i>1996—</i> | | | | | | | | |
| January | 1,361.2 | 290.8 | 258.4 | 384.7 | 175.1 | 314.3 | 781.6 | 3,566.1 |
| February | 1,329.1 | 255.0 | 227.9 | 359.5 | 180.5 | 307.8 | 713.7 | 3,373.5 |

(a) The figures shown are estimates derived from a monthly survey of retail establishments. Excludes motor vehicle, boat and caravan dealers, service stations, smash repairs, tyre and battery retailers, bread and milk vendors, footwear repairers and electrical appliance repairers n.e.c. Retail establishments which do not have employees are excluded from the survey. Turnover includes retail sales, wholesale sales, takings from repairs, meals and hiring of goods; and commissions from agency activity (e.g. commissions received from collecting dry cleaning, selling lottery tickets etc.).

TABLE 47. FOREIGN TRADE: IMPORTS AND EXPORTS
(*\$'000*)

| <i>Period</i> | <i>Overseas exports of NSW origin (a)</i> | | | | | | |
|---------------|---|--------------------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| | <i>Overseas imports into NSW</i> | <i>Total exports</i> | <i>Selected commodities</i> | | | | <i>Iron and steel</i> |
| | | | <i>Meat and meat preparations</i> | <i>Wheat</i> | <i>Wool and other animal hair</i> | <i>Coke, coal and briquettes</i> | |
| 1992-93 | 26,434,575 | 13,155,545 | 850,416 | 241,403 | 827,207 | 3,231,959 | 785,756 |
| 1993-94 | 28,495,938 | 14,650,896 | 973,959 | 395,869 | 831,452 | 3,097,655 | 849,578 |
| 1994-95 | 33,297,000 | r15,195,410 | r880,440 | 91,654 | 1,034,075 | 2,799,261 | 912,463 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | | |
| December | 2,613,606 | r1,259,476 | 69,567 | 1,527 | 106,578 | 235,032 | 77,466 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | | |
| January | 2,552,071 | r1,045,628 | r60,834 | 3,620 | 78,090 | 226,972 | 65,939 |
| February | 2,410,088 | 1,165,594 | 62,261 | — | 79,583 | 228,894 | 73,515 |
| December | r2,788,458 | r1,393,777 | r69,273 | 39,588 | r71,774 | r278,682 | 93,081 |
| <i>1996—</i> | | | | | | | |
| January | r2,965,160 | r1,294,586 | r56,818 | 64,201 | r55,701 | r312,256 | r69,379 |
| February | 2,711,220 | 1,255,620 | 61,621 | 45,662 | 61,091 | 227,752 | 109,983 |

(a) Excludes re-exported goods. State of origin is defined as the State in which the final stage of production or manufacture occurs.

TABLE 48. EXCHANGE RATES (a)
(Source: Reserve Bank of Australia)
Units of foreign currency per \$A

| Period (b) | United States dollar | Japanese yen | UK pound sterling | German mark | French franc | Italian lira | New Zealand dollar |
|--------------|----------------------|--------------|-------------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------|
| <i>June—</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 0.7488 | 94.05 | 0.3945 | 1.1438 | 3.8440 | 864.6 | 1.3752 |
| 1993 | 0.6722 | 71.54 | 0.4453 | 1.1366 | 3.8267 | 1,040.9 | 1.2478 |
| 1994 | 0.7291 | 72.20 | 0.4721 | 1.1591 | 3.9667 | 1,145.8 | 1.2258 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | | |
| December | 0.7768 | 77.56 | 0.4982 | 1.2065 | 4.1617 | 1,264.1 | 1.2105 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | | |
| January | 0.7583 | 74.75 | 0.4752 | 1.1412 | 3.9583 | 1,206.8 | 1.1412 |
| February | 0.7395 | 71.75 | 0.4669 | 1.0843 | 3.8036 | 1,233.7 | 1.1659 |
| March | 0.7280 | 64.92 | 0.4534 | 1.0256 | 3.5727 | 1,242.3 | 1.1228 |
| April | 0.7299 | 61.04 | 0.4515 | 1.0039 | 3.5590 | 1,239.0 | 1.0842 |
| May | 0.7138 | 59.45 | 0.4449 | 0.9925 | 3.4944 | 1,161.0 | 1.0734 |
| June | 0.7086 | 60.08 | 0.4452 | 0.9814 | 3.4392 | 1,163.2 | 1.0621 |
| July | 0.7389 | 65.31 | 0.4611 | 1.0225 | 3.5364 | 1,172.8 | 1.0963 |
| August | 0.7524 | 73.55 | 0.4861 | 1.1092 | 3.8090 | 1,217.8 | 1.1556 |
| September | 0.7550 | 74.22 | 0.4777 | 1.0702 | 3.6953 | 1,214.0 | 1.1488 |
| October | 0.7566 | 76.98 | 0.4800 | 1.0663 | 3.6937 | 1,207.9 | 1.1453 |
| November | 0.7469 | 75.83 | 0.4860 | 1.0718 | 3.6856 | 1,190.9 | 1.1414 |
| December | 0.7450 | 76.66 | 0.4814 | 1.0709 | 3.6598 | 1,181.2 | 1.1400 |
| <i>1996—</i> | | | | | | | |
| January | 0.7447 | 79.88 | 0.4943 | 1.1082 | 3.8073 | 1,176.2 | 1.1107 |
| February | 0.7635 | 79.85 | 0.4982 | 1.1212 | 3.8400 | 1,183.4 | 1.1343 |

(a) The rates shown are indications of market value only and could differ from those quoted by Australian banks. For further details regarding the basis of calculating the rates refer to the monthly *Reserve Bank of Australia Bulletin*. (b) At end of month.

TABLE 49. MOTOR VEHICLES ON THE REGISTER (a), NSW
(Source: NSW Road and Traffic Authority)
(^{'000})

| Date | Passenger vehicles (b) | Light commercial vehicles (c) | Trucks (d) | Buses (e) | Motor cycles | Total vehicles |
|-----------------|------------------------|-------------------------------|------------|-----------|--------------|----------------|
| <i>1989—</i> | | | | | | |
| 31 December | 2,393.2 | 427.3 | 219.1 | 58.1 | 94.8 | 3,192.5 |
| <i>1990—</i> | | | | | | |
| 30 June | 2,410.6 | 435.8 | 222.3 | 59.3 | 89.7 | 3,217.7 |
| 31 December | 2,426.7 | 442.4 | 224.0 | 60.7 | 85.8 | 3,239.6 |
| <i>1991—</i> | | | | | | |
| 30 June | 2,423.7 | 445.1 | 223.6 | 61.8 | 81.8 | 3,236.0 |
| 31 December (f) | 2,369.9 | 435.8 | 215.7 | 62.5 | 72.9 | 3,156.8 |
| <i>1992—</i> | | | | | | |
| 30 June (g) | 2,467.6 | 524.6 | 130.3 | 9.3 | 76.0 | 3,207.8 |
| <i>1993—</i> | | | | | | |
| 30 June | 2,561.5 | 405.8 | 124.6 | 11.3 | 69.2 | 3,172.4 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | |
| 30 June (h) | 2,498.8 | 550.1 | 130.4 | 11.0 | 72.3 | 3,262.6 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | |
| 30 June | 2,534.8 | 564.2 | 129.9 | 11.8 | 74.0 | 3,314.7 |

(a) Excludes tractors, trailers, non-motorised caravans, mobile plant and equipment, defence force vehicles and vehicles owned by Australian Government departments and authorities. (b) Includes cars, station wagons and from 30 June 1992 forward control passenger vehicles (with 5 to 9 seats including the driver). (c) Includes utilities, panel vans and from 30 June 1992 cab-chassis and forward control vehicles with gross vehicle mass not exceeding 3,500 kgs. (d) Includes rigid and articulated trucks with gross vehicle mass exceeding 3,500 kgs and non-freight carrying trucks. (e) Includes buses with more than 9 seats including the driver. (f) Figures for 31 December after 1991 are not available due to the introduction of the DRIVES processing system by the Road Traffic Authority. (g) Data from 30 June 1992 is not comparable to previous data due to introduction of new classification of vehicles. (h) Figures for 30 June 1994 are at 21 June 1994.

TABLE 50. REGISTRATIONS OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLES (a), NSW

| Period | Cars and station wagons | | Other vehicles (excluding motor cycles) | | Total (excluding motor cycles) | | Motor cycles | Motor vehicles |
|-----------------|-------------------------|------------------------|--|------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| | Original | Seasonally adjusted | Original | Seasonally adjusted | Original | Seasonally adjusted | | |
| 1992-93 | 160,075 | .. | 28,571 | .. | 188,646 | .. | 4,597 | 193,243 |
| 1993-94 | 170,191 | .. | 30,325 | .. | 200,516 | .. | 5,072 | 205,588 |
| 1994-95 | 193,386 | .. | 35,107 | .. | 228,493 | .. | 6,244 | 234,737 |
| July-February-- | | | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 125,112 | 128,673 | 21,694 | 23,009 | 146,806 | 151,681 | 4,101 | 150,907 |
| 1995-96 | 121,171 | 123,659 | 20,652 | 21,877 | 141,823 | 145,537 | 4,612 | 146,435 |
| 1994-- | | | | | | | | |
| December | 15,037 | 15,735 | 2,586 | 2,893 | 17,623 | 18,628 | 557 | 18,180 |
| 1995-- | | | | | | | | |
| January | 13,813 | 17,025 | 2,093 | 2,876 | 15,906 | 19,900 | 540 | 16,446 |
| February | 15,304 | 16,434 | 2,504 | 2,935 | 17,808 | 19,369 | 539 | 18,347 |
| March | 17,526 | 15,457 | 3,370 | 2,918 | 20,896 | 18,375 | 515 | 21,411 |
| April | 14,984 | 17,976 | 2,501 | 3,052 | 17,485 | 21,028 | 490 | 17,975 |
| May | 19,172 | 16,312 | 3,615 | 2,968 | 22,787 | 19,280 | 646 | 23,433 |
| June | 16,592 | 15,498 | 3,927 | 3,013 | 20,519 | 18,512 | 492 | 21,011 |
| July | 16,090 | 16,218 | 2,973 | 2,972 | 19,063 | 19,190 | 532 | 19,595 |
| August | 16,124 | 14,931 | 2,735 | 2,738 | 18,859 | 17,670 | 599 | 19,458 |
| September | 13,814 | 14,852 | 2,531 | 2,660 | 16,345 | 17,512 | 429 | 16,774 |
| October | 16,236 | 16,287 | 2,539 | 2,617 | 18,775 | 18,904 | 560 | 19,335 |
| November | 15,433 | 13,899 | 2,797 | 2,496 | 18,230 | 16,395 | 627 | 18,857 |
| December | 14,340 | 15,676 | 2,435 | 2,793 | 16,775 | 18,469 | 649 | 17,424 |
| 1996-- | | | | | | | | |
| January | 13,599 | 15,865 | 2,033 | 2,621 | 15,632 | 18,486 | 609 | 16,241 |
| February | 15,535 | 15,931 | 2,609 | 2,980 | 18,144 | 18,911 | 607 | 18,751 |

(a) Includes vehicles (other than those of the defence forces), owned by Government departments and authorities. Excludes mobile plant and equipment, tractors, trailers and non-motorised caravans.

TABLE 51. NEW MOTOR CARS AND STATION WAGONS REGISTERED (a), NSW: PRINCIPAL MAKES

| Period | BMW | Ford | Holden | Honda | Mazda | Mitsubishi | Nissan | Subaru | Toyota | Volvo |
|-----------------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-------|------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|
| 1992-93 | 1,915 | 33,699 | 25,928 | 4,800 | 8,692 | 20,364 | 7,904 | 4,531 | 29,559 | 1,047 |
| 1993-94 | 2,723 | 35,510 | 31,443 | 5,437 | 7,494 | 20,008 | 6,346 | 3,106 | 32,136 | 1,251 |
| 1994-95 | 3,238 | 37,299 | 36,766 | 5,595 | 9,721 | 19,223 | 6,290 | 3,695 | 32,846 | 1,484 |
| July-February-- | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 1,911 | 23,979 | 24,439 | 3,683 | 6,305 | 12,816 | 4,025 | 2,296 | 22,129 | 929 |
| 1995-96 | 1,984 | 25,226 | 25,138 | 3,347 | 4,654 | 9,355 | 3,548 | 1,925 | 20,411 | 943 |
| 1994-- | | | | | | | | | | |
| December | 306 | 2,993 | 3,128 | 355 | 822 | 1,692 | 376 | 247 | 2,540 | 134 |
| 1995-- | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 228 | 2,039 | 1,792 | 436 | 845 | 1,663 | 410 | 316 | 2,823 | 118 |
| February | 245 | 3,340 | 2,990 | 484 | 845 | 1,078 | 561 | 290 | 2,027 | 114 |
| March | 314 | 3,793 | 3,078 | 472 | 881 | 1,743 | 645 | 394 | 2,426 | 120 |
| April | 359 | 2,584 | 2,171 | 467 | 789 | 1,536 | 505 | 353 | 2,718 | 101 |
| May | 455 | 3,542 | 3,666 | 580 | 1,038 | 1,667 | 632 | 352 | 2,895 | 167 |
| June | 199 | 3,401 | 3,422 | 393 | 708 | 1,461 | 483 | 300 | 2,678 | 167 |
| July | 299 | 3,491 | 3,438 | 510 | 615 | 1,358 | 458 | 245 | 2,755 | 139 |
| August | 244 | 3,756 | 3,641 | 382 | 479 | 1,414 | 457 | 242 | 2,443 | 108 |
| September | 238 | 2,816 | 3,019 | 323 | 474 | 1,088 | 310 | 184 | 2,398 | 129 |
| October | 294 | 3,447 | 3,003 | 409 | 669 | 1,291 | 509 | 216 | 2,878 | 145 |
| November | 251 | 3,076 | 3,400 | 431 | 583 | 1,078 | 553 | 220 | 2,777 | 99 |
| December | 216 | 3,152 | 3,162 | 309 | 463 | 1,132 | 411 | 230 | 2,464 | 78 |
| 1996-- | | | | | | | | | | |
| January | 182 | 2,451 | 2,406 | 507 | 651 | 883 | 461 | 278 | 2,244 | 91 |
| February | 260 | 3,037 | 3,069 | 476 | 720 | 1,111 | 389 | 310 | 2,452 | 154 |

(a) Includes vehicles (other than those of the defence forces), owned by Government departments and authorities.

TABLE 52. NEW MOTOR CYCLES REGISTERED (a), NSW: PRINCIPAL MAKES

| <i>Period</i> | <i>BMW</i> | <i>Ducati</i> | <i>Harley-Davidson</i> | <i>Honda</i> | <i>Kawasaki</i> | <i>Suzuki</i> | <i>Yamaha</i> |
|-----------------------|------------|---------------|------------------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|
| 1992-93 | 218 | 47 | 743 | 1,320 | 680 | 595 | 873 |
| 1993-94 | 236 | 69 | 722 | 1,755 | 683 | 585 | 760 |
| 1994-95 | 298 | 94 | 958 | 1,926 | 742 | 681 | 1,183 |
| <i>July-February—</i> | | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 191 | 64 | 667 | 1,273 | 478 | 468 | 762 |
| 1995-96 | 248 | 142 | 733 | 1,336 | 562 | 516 | 777 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | | |
| December | 20 | 3 | 108 | 179 | 65 | 69 | 90 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | | |
| January | 30 | 5 | 85 | 178 | 65 | 66 | 87 |
| February | 15 | 19 | 103 | 174 | 50 | 52 | 88 |
| March | 30 | 7 | 91 | 142 | 57 | 59 | 90 |
| April | 23 | 6 | 72 | 139 | 63 | 34 | 121 |
| May | 30 | 8 | 80 | 202 | 79 | 80 | 114 |
| June | 24 | 9 | 48 | 170 | 65 | 40 | 96 |
| July | 23 | 19 | 94 | 143 | 66 | 60 | 89 |
| August | 33 | 27 | 120 | 156 | 58 | 66 | 112 |
| September | 28 | 18 | 64 | 88 | 57 | 57 | 81 |
| October | 25 | 12 | 97 | 154 | 72 | 60 | 99 |
| November | 35 | 22 | 93 | 218 | 66 | 57 | 108 |
| December | 43 | 11 | 91 | 244 | 62 | 67 | 94 |
| <i>1996—</i> | | | | | | | |
| January | 35 | 14 | 84 | 173 | 90 | 72 | 98 |
| February | 26 | 19 | 90 | 160 | 91 | 77 | 96 |

(a) Includes vehicles (other than those of the defence forces), owned by Government departments and authorities.

TABLE 53. ROAD ACCIDENT CASUALTIES, NSW
(Source: NSW Road and Traffic Authority)

| <i>Period</i> | <i>Motor drivers</i> | <i>Motor cyclists</i> | <i>Pedal cyclists</i> | <i>Passengers (a)</i> | <i>Pedestrians</i> | <i>Other (b)</i> | <i>Total</i> |
|--------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|------------------|--------------|
| KILLED | | | | | | | |
| 1993 | 274 | 41 | 8 | 140 | 117 | 1 | 581 |
| 1994 | 258 | 50 | 23 | 187 | 129 | — | 647 |
| 1995 | 282 | 57 | 11 | 140 | 131 | — | 621 |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | | |
| December qtr | 88 | 12 | 7 | 68 | 30 | — | 205 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | | |
| March qtr | 66 | 8 | 7 | 33 | 35 | — | 149 |
| June qtr | 65 | 13 | 3 | 33 | 37 | — | 151 |
| September qtr | 74 | 9 | 1 | 32 | 29 | — | 145 |
| December qtr | 77 | 27 | — | 42 | 30 | — | 176 |
| <i>1996—</i> | | | | | | | |
| March qtr | 52 | 11 | 3 | 40 | 18 | — | 124 |
| INJURED (c) | | | | | | | |
| 1992 | 2,640 | 632 | 262 | 1,759 | 1,054 | 5 | 6,352 |
| 1993 | 2,725 | 633 | 272 | 1,788 | 982 | 7 | 6,407 |
| 1994 | 2,650 | 613 | 257 | 1,678 | 1,086 | 3 | 6,287 |
| 1995 | | | | | | | |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | | |
| June qtr | 675 | 164 | 77 | 415 | 314 | 1 | 1,646 |
| September qtr | 584 | 131 | 55 | 370 | 259 | 2 | 1,401 |
| December qtr | 700 | 148 | 54 | 455 | 259 | — | 1,616 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | | |
| March qtr | 617 | 136 | 52 | 390 | 228 | — | 1,423 |
| June qtr | 574 | 144 | 46 | 419 | 250 | — | 1,433 |
| September qtr | 635 | 179 | 34 | 385 | 226 | 2 | 1,461 |

(a) Includes motor cycle pillion passengers. (b) Includes pedal cycle passengers, riders and drivers of animals, etc. (c) Figures include only those injured persons admitted to hospital.

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TABLE 24. PRODUCTION OF PLASTICS AND BUILDING MATERIALS, NSW

| Period | Plastics in primary forms (a) (tonnes) | Sydney Statistical Division ('000) | Bricks, clay (b) | | Tiles, roofing (Terra cotta and concrete) (c)(d) ('000 sq m) | Concrete blocks, bricks and pavers (tonnes) |
|-----------------------|---|--|---------------------|-----------------------------------|---|---|
| | | | New South Wales (c) | | | |
| | | | Original ('000) | Seasonally adjusted ('000) | | |
| 1992-93 | 282,968 | 487,019 | 676,928 | .. | 8,821 | 486,089 |
| 1993-94 | 299,014 | 540,342 | 710,936 | .. | 8,563 | 551,742 |
| 1994-95 | 341,128 | n.a. | 745,660 | .. | n.a. | n.a. |
| <i>July-December—</i> | | | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 118,328 | 197,833 | 255,153 | .. | 3,110 | 212,811 |
| 1995-96 | 195,377 | n.a. | 344,802 | .. | n.a. | n.a. |
| <i>1994—</i> | | | | | | |
| October | 31,412 | 46,854 | 60,939 | 62,079 | 694 | 55,872 |
| November | 30,660 | 51,911 | 66,261 | 60,301 | 750 | 60,893 |
| December | 27,475 | 45,308 | 57,641 | 63,887 | 316 | 43,702 |
| <i>1995—</i> | | | | | | |
| January | 28,911 | 42,186 | 52,500 | 73,079 | 213 | 38,973 |
| February | 25,985 | 46,069 | 59,349 | 62,667 | 809 | 53,777 |
| March | 31,228 | n.a. | 63,300 | 56,905 | n.a. | n.a. |
| April | 25,960 | n.a. | 54,574 | 61,434 | n.a. | n.a. |
| May | 24,508 | n.a. | 72,504 | 61,636 | n.a. | n.a. |
| June | 28,073 | n.a. | 64,378 | 64,844 | n.a. | n.a. |
| July | 34,163 | n.a. | 61,021 | 60,317 | n.a. | n.a. |
| August | 32,299 | n.a. | 59,910 | 52,434 | n.a. | n.a. |
| September | 29,855 | n.a. | 58,154 | 57,377 | n.a. | n.a. |
| October | 35,004 | n.a. | 62,117 | 59,949 | n.a. | n.a. |
| November | 33,384 | n.a. | 55,498 | 52,632 | n.a. | n.a. |
| December | 30,672 | n.a. | 48,102 | 55,063 | n.a. | n.a. |

(a) Dry weight. (b) For structural purposes. (c) Includes Australian Capital Territory. (d) Flat surface measure.

TABLE 25. PRODUCTION OF ELECTRICITY AND GAS, NSW

| Period | Electricity | | Gas, mains (a) | |
|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | Original (mill. kWh) | Seasonally adjusted (mill. kWh) | Original (mill. MJ) | Seasonally adjusted (mill. MJ) |
| 1992-93 | 57,794 | .. | 96,215 | .. |
| 1993-94 | 57,792 | .. | 97,987 | .. |
| 1994-95 | 60,016 | .. | 104,881 | .. |
| July-December— | | | | |
| 1994-95 | 20,626 | .. | 39,082 | .. |
| 1995-96 | 31,559 | .. | 54,875 | .. |
| 1994— | | | | |
| October | 4,764 | 4,939 | 8,578 | 8,652 |
| November | 4,721 | 5,018 | 8,086 | 8,448 |
| December | 4,846 | 5,087 | 7,323 | 8,507 |
| 1995— | | | | |
| January | 4,770 | 5,003 | 7,194 | 8,803 |
| February | 4,546 | 5,001 | 6,916 | 8,152 |
| March | 4,926 | 5,113 | 8,077 | 8,465 |
| April | 4,705 | 5,120 | 8,336 | 9,102 |
| May | 5,278 | 5,027 | 9,440 | 8,731 |
| June | 5,598 | 4,949 | 10,425 | 9,185 |
| July | 5,913 | 5,333 | 11,364 | 9,535 |
| August | 5,520 | 4,975 | 10,301 | 8,665 |
| September | 5,095 | 5,138 | 9,452 | 8,893 |
| October | 5,063 | 5,248 | 8,637 | 8,752 |
| November | 4,981 | 5,257 | 8,073 | 8,464 |
| December | 4,987 | 5,335 | 7,048 | 8,326 |

(a) Includes Australian Capital Territory.